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Part B for February 1942

SUBJECT.

Constitution of Civic Guards in the State.

J. Krishnan
9.2.42

WD 0573—GPB—22,500—12-9-39

District War Committees and
The Civic Guard

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1	From The Hon'ble the Resident. D.O. no. F. 138/1940 of 8th June. 40 inviting attention to the proposal to form Dt War Committees and to establish a special body to be known as 'The Civic Guard' throughout British India and requesting to intimate the steps taken by the Govt of Mysore both in regard to the formation of War Committees and the Civic Guard.
	The following are the suggestions contained in the P.V.D.
(1)	Dt War Committees, representing all communities and schools of thought, presided over by the Deputy Commrs to guide and assist the Public in every aspect of the War conditions by which they are affected.
(2)	Setting up Provincial Committee to correlate the work of the Dt Committees.
(3)	Raising of a Civic Guard which will be a body of a voluntary character, affiliated to the regular Police, to render Service in connection with the maintenance of public order, A.R.P. anti-Sabotage measures etc.
	The Statement made by H.E. the Viceroy referred to in the P.V.D is flagged to the Madras. H.E the Governor of Madras is inaugurating the Provincial War Committee on the 17th inst and he has issued invitations to a no of gentlemen to serve on the Committee

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Regarding the Dfts. if approved, necessary instructions will be issued to the D Cs to form Dt Committees, on the lines suggested in the P.V.D. In Madras also it is stated that instructions are being issued to the Collectors (Vide Cutting below).

In Madras H E the Governor will be President of the Committee and the Secretary will be an Official. It is for orders as to the President and Secretary for the Central Stat Committee.

It is stated that in Madras the Govt have decided to raise a Civic Guard and that details about the organisation and its functions will be announced ~~soon~~ shortly. In the PVD also it is stated that further details regarding the raising of Civic Guards in British India will be furnished shortly. Perhaps the details may be awaited and then necessary action taken.

Subd for perusal and orders. Kind reference is invited to the Dewan's minute on the PVD and if approved, a draft will be put up after receiving the above details.

(1) The Deputy Commrs may be asked to establish Dt Committees on the lines indicated

(2) A Central State Committee has also to be constituted. There is already a War Fund Committee, and from that Committee, some members

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Central Stch Committee, Dt War Committee and The Civic Guard

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may be taken & be included in the Central Committee. From the reference under consideration, it seems that the Committee will require an Official Secretary. In Madras, the Governor is the President of the Committee and it is for consideration whether the President of the Committee in regard should be a member of Council or Rt Dewan. An early meeting will have to be arranged for for constituting the Central Committee. The Delhi Riots Enquiry if appointed, may be fixed before the Legis. Council meets on the 24th.

The I.G.P. will be consulted as regards formation of Civic Guards.

1st member
2nd member

MK 11.6.40

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MK 11/6

Three drafts submitted.

GD 13/6.

Draft acknowledging the receipt of the Resident's letter is submitted for approval.

Dewan

MK 13/6

There is no such hurry in matters may be held over till next month.

MG 14/6

MK 14/6

Issued D.O 5610 & 20th Jun. 40 to the I.G. of Police
5611-19 " to the DMs of D.

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From The I.G. of Police.

D.O. No. C.C. 1/40-41 dated July 2nd enclosing a copy of his circular letter to D.Cs. & Dts. and suggesting that steps may be taken to amend the Mysore Police Act.

The I.G.P's letter to the D.Cs. & Dts. closely follows the instructions contained in the Home Deptt's letter and the Madras Govt. Press Communique. (Flag R). For the Madras Presidency they have contemplated a strength of 25000 at present. Perhaps a certain strength may be fixed in the case of the State also. Flag V.

The I.G.P. has stated in his circular to D.Cs. that the scheme is to be limited to Dt. and Sub-Divisional Head Qrs. in the first instance. The First member has minuted in the margin that this restriction would seriously limit the no. of Civic Guards. In this connection, Kind reference is invited to Para 4 of the Home Deptt's letter wherein it is stated that attention should first be given to the requirements of urban areas where volunteers of the type required are most likely to be available and the duties in view are likely to be most urgent and continuous. In rural areas it may be possible to organise the volunteers on a basis by which those enrolled will be

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Called up for duty only when an emergency actually arises or at stated intervals on some principle of rotation. It is on that basis that the I.G.P. has restricted the scheme to the Dt. & Sub Dn. Headqrs at present. The I.G.P. has consulted the D.Cs as to whether they have any further suggestions to make so that formal proposals may be submitted by him for the approval of Govt. The I.G.P.'s proposals will be awaited.

Kind attn is invited to the Press Cutting (Flag Q) that the Police will seek the Co-operation of Firms and other employers of large staff who will be requested to permit their employees to volunteer.

It is also seen from the last para that a Special Corps will be formed to train who have had some training either as Scouts or as members of the U.T.C. Perhaps the above suggestion may be adopted in the Sketches.

Regarding Para 2 of the I.G.P.'s letter perhaps the I.G.P. himself may submit to Govt suitable amendments on the lines suggested in Para 5 of the Home Dept's letter for approval.

The formal proposals as indicated in the last para of his Circular to the D.Cs will be awaited. Regd the amending of the Police Act, he will be requested to send suitable amendments. Subs for formal and orders

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From The I G of Police.
D.O. no C.C. 1/40-41 dated 24th
giving his views re the enrolment of Civic Guards.
The relevant cuttings in the matter and
Home Deptt Letter (Flag V).
Madras Govt Press Communique (Flag Q)
Baroda Govt " (Flag Y)
are placed below for reference.

The following points are for
Consideration regarding the I G P's views
in the matter.

(1) The I G P has suggested that if it is practicable
to enrol Civic Guards under a Special
Regulation other than the Police Regulation
so much the better. The Madras Press Communique
states that they will be enrolled under the
Police Act, which is being amended for
the purpose, as Special Constables.
The Home Deptt letter also suggests an
amendment to the Police Act. It is also seen
that an Ordinance constituting Civic Guards
all over the Country is expected to be issued
by the Govt of India. In view of the above
the I G P's views is for orders.
The suggestion of the I G P to minimise
Police control is for consideration. In Madras
the recruitment is done by the Police.

(2) The strength of the Civic Guards:-
To limit the number to 50% of the regular
Police Allocation at the Dt Head Qrs

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or Police Sub Divisional Hd Qrs as the Case may be. It is in accordance with Para 4 of the Home Dept's letter. In Mysore the strength Contemplated is about 25000. Perhaps the IGP may be asked as to the probable strength of Civic Guard on the above basis.

(2) In U.P. it has been based on the population basis 2 Guards for every 1000 of the population in important towns of the U.P.

(3) The Commr of Police Ct M Stn has invited applications from Retired Police officers for organising and training Civic Guards in the Stn Station. The IG P's proposal is suitable

(4) Age limit:- The Baroda Govt have fixed the age between 20 + 50. In Mysore the proposal is to select influential men of the ages between 25 and 35 who will be likely to assist in the enlistment and subsequently become Group Commanders. The IG P has suggested a lower limit of 25 for Officers of the Civic Guard and for Civic Guards 20 + 45.

(5) In U.P the uniform with the armlet will be provided free by the Govt. The Civic Guards will be armed with short lathis and armlet. The Mysore Communique does not indicate as to who is to bear the cost. In Baroda Communique also there is no mention. In U.P the uniform Comprises of Grey shorts, shirts, Stockings, Peshwai Chappals and forage-caps. They will wear an armlet in red bearing the letters C.G in Black

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(6) The training proposed is the same as elsewhere

(7) The Baroda Communique specifically states that there will be no remuneration. The period of training proposed is the same as in Madras and no allowance other than should be given during the period.
The Home Deptt both has suggested that ~~that~~ the persons enlisted should receive subsistence allowance only during period in which they were called up for duty or training. The Madras Communique has stated that in case of emergency if it is decided to call up this force or any part of it for more regular work arrangements will be made for supplying them with food, if their duties forbid them from making their own arrangements. The I G P's proposal to give a Duty Allowance not exceeding Eight annas is for orders. Arrangements for Conveyance and accommodation have to be made by the Police, if the duty is at a distance from Head Qrs.

Perhaps the arrangements made in the C & M Stn may also be ascertained and the proposed Ordinance of the Govt of India may also be awaited. In Baroda a Committee has been constituted to advise Govt in respect of the formation of Civic Guards.

Submitted for perusal and orders.

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Discussed the subject with the 1st member and received instructions. Put up draft for consideration as instructed by me.

MS

Subd with a draft to the DMs as instructed. Cross ref required on Points 1 & 7 of the Govt's letter since his proposal varies from the procedure adopted in Madras and Baroda, as already mentioned in the office note supra. In Madras, the recruitment is done by the Police. (RG 1879) A copy of the Govt of Bombay Ordinance & also the rules of the Govt of Bombay in the matter are placed below for reference.

MS 19/9

(1st member)

It is high time that an attempt was made to enrol bodies of civic guards in some of the important towns in the State. The instructions contained in the draft, though incomplete, may serve for a beginning. If the response is at all encouraging, it will be necessary to pass an Ordinance + Rules as in Bombay Govt to place the organization on a legal basis. I presume that one of the sub committees of the War Committee will assist in recruiting and organising civic guards.

RRM

2nd member / Dictum } DS 24.9. 23/9/40

MS 23/9

MS 24/9 KR 26.5 DS 24-9-40

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For orders whether the approved draft in the file may issue to the D Mys.

(RS 27/9)

Yes.

DK 28/9

Issued 1537-45 dt 30th Sept. 40 to the DMs & DBs. 3

Mem 1546 .. to the IG of Police

From The IG of Police.

D.O. no C.C 1/40-41 dt 3rd Oct. 40 enclosing a copy of a Notice issued by the Comm of Police (to Mstr re Civic Guards 4

Chief Secy's minute dt 8/10/40

Subd. The DC Mysore may be requested to issue similar notices. a suitable draft notice will be found at Subd. B.T.K. 3/10.

I Member. "This may be done (But we have no ordinance as yet Subd. N.M. 5/10.

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His Excellency the Viceroy issued a statement on 5th June 1940 stating that people were anxious for offering their personal services in connection with the internal security of the country and that he has accordingly decided in consultation with the Provincial Governments to constitute a body of a voluntary character which would be affiliated to the regular police and which could render service in connection with the maintenance of public order, anti-sabotage measures and various other important aspects of internal defence. This organisation is to be called "The Civic Guard" and it is to be organised on a provincial basis so that it might adapt itself to the differing conditions of the several Provinces. His Excellency also hoped that the Indian States would support this common cause by taking action on similar lines. In forwarding this to the Government of Mysore, the Hon'ble the Resident expressed the hope that early action would be taken in Mysore on similar lines in the light of local conditions and requirements. The Inspector General of Police was accordingly asked to submit suitable proposals in the matter in consultation with the District Magistrates.

The Inspector General of Police has now sent a precis of the suggestions received from the several District Magistrates with his own views. After taking into consideration the several recommendations of the

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District Magistrates and the Inspector General of Police, Government have issued a circular to the District Magistrates stating that preliminary action on the lines indicated may be taken and that if any doubt or difficulty is experienced, a reference may be made to Government. They have also been informed that the question whether enrolment should be under the Police Regulation or under an enactment specially introduced for the purpose was being separately considered by Government.

The following are the salient points of the scheme:-

1. The enrolment will be on an entirely voluntary basis for part-time duty as patrols, for watch and ward against sabotage and to aid the regular police in emergencies and in cases of civil disorder or panic. They would also be usefully employed at large festivals and shandy centres and for patrolling large towns and cities.

2. The enrolment is proposed to be limited in the first instance to district headquarters and police sub division headquarters, the number to be enrolled being restricted to 50% of the regular police allocation of the centres referred to.

3. The enrolment will be made by the District Magistrate in consultation with the District Superintendent of Police, the latter being appointed as

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District Commander of the Civic Guard organisation for the district.

4. The proposal is to enrol Civic Guards in groups of ten, under an officer, the latter being styled "Officer of the Civic Guard" and the rank and file "Civic Guards". Government servants as such are not precluded from enlisting as Civic Guards. Retired Government servants who are sufficiently active are proposed to be entertained as officers of the Civic Guards. The lower age-limit for officers will be 25 years. Civic Guards on the other hand might be between the ages of 20 and 45.

5. As regards the distinctive badge for Civic Guards Government propose to provide brassards but any other uniform would be provided by the Civic Guards themselves, as in the case of boy scouts. Such uniform will have to be the same throughout the State and approved by Government.

6. Training is to be confined to marching and short lathi drill and the instructions in simple police procedure based on the constable's catechism.

7. It is considered unnecessary to give any allowance for the period of training which may be limited to two hours a day on two or three days a week for the first month and thereafter to one hour a week. When Civic Guards are called out for duty, discretion has been

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iven to the District Magistrates to grant them a duty llowance not exceeding annas 8 per day. It is also roposed that the police should make arrangements for con- eyance and accommodation for the Civic Guards, if the uty is at a distance from Headquarters.

The Government of India have issued an Ordinance or the constitution of Civic Guards. Certain Provin- ial Governments have framed their own rules to suit ocal requirements in the matter.

A similar draft Ordinance is herewith put up for approval. Necessary action will be taken to frame rules thereunder to suit local requirements.

MS 22/10/40

1st Member)

MM 23/10/40

MS 24/10

RG 25/X) Subd with a D.S.N.

CPR 25/10

Chief Sy
The question of issuing the draft ordinance may be disposed of by circulation.

MS 25/10 CPR

Dewan)

MS 26-10-40

C3 Circulate.

MS 28/10 OCT. 19

OF MYSO

Submitted with a Circulation Memo

Par 28/10/40.

Signed MS 28/10

For Disposal by Circulation. No. C. 216 of 1940-41.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Council Matter.

1940
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Subject

Constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore State.

Circulated to the Members of Council.

By Order,

28th October 1940. *Chief Secretary to Government.*

First Member of Council. (Seen)

4214/29.10.40 **Second Member of Council.** 2.11

Subd with a D.S.N.

2/11/40

Dewan

Submitted to His Highness.

These papers relate to the constitution of Civic Guards in the State.

In a statement issued on the 5th June, 1940, His Excellency the Viceroy said that as many people in the country were anxious to offer their personal services in connection with the internal security of the country, he had decided, in consultation with the Provincial Governments, to constitute a body of a voluntary character which would be affiliated to the regular police and which could render service in connection with the maintenance of public order, anti-sabotage measures and various other important aspects of internal defence. His Excellency proposed that this organization might be called "The Civic Guard" and be organised on a provincial basis to suit the differing conditions in the various Provinces. His Excellency also expressed the hope that the Indian States would support this common cause by taking action on similar lines.

In inviting the attention of this Government to His Excellency's statement, the Hon'ble the Resident has expressed the hope that early action would be taken in Mysore on these lines in the light of local conditions and requirements. The Inspector General of Police, who was accordingly asked to submit suitable proposals in the matter in consultation with the District Magistrates, has now sent a precis of the suggestions received from the several District Magistrates along with his own views.

After taking into consideration the recommendations of the District Magistrates and the Inspector General of Police, Government have issued a circular to the District Magistrates directing that preliminary action on the lines indicated may be taken and that, if any doubt or difficulty is experienced, a reference may be made to Government. The District Magistrates have been informed that the question whether enrolment should be under the Police Regulation or under an enactment to be specially introduced for the purpose was being separately considered.

The following are the salient points of the scheme :-

1. The enrolment for the Civic Guards will be on an entirely voluntary basis. They are intended for part-time duty as patrols, for watch and ward against sabotage and for rendering aid to the regular police in

emergencies and in cases of civil disorder or panic. The Civic Guards would also be usefully employed in connection with large festivals and shandies and for patrolling large towns and cities.

2. The enrolment is proposed to be limited, in the first instance, to district headquarters and police sub-divisional headquarters, the number to be enrolled being restricted to 50 % of the regular police allocation of the centres referred to.

3. The enrolment in each District will be made by the District Magistrate in consultation with the District Superintendent of Police, the latter being appointed as District Commander of the Civic Guard.

4. The proposal is to enrol Civic Guards in groups of ten under an officer to be styled "Officer of the Civic Guard", the rank and file being designated as "Civic Guards". Government servants are not precluded from enlisting as Civic Guards. Retired Government servants who are sufficiently active are proposed to be entertained as Officers of Civic Guards. The lower age-limit for Officers will be 25 years. Civic Guards, on the other hand, might be between the ages of 20 and 45.

5. As regards the distinctive badge for Civic Guards, Government propose to provide brassards, but any other uniform would be provided by Civic Guards themselves, as in the case of Boy Scouts. Such uniform will have to be the same throughout the State and approved by Government.

6. Training is to be confined to marching and short lathi drill and the instructions in simple police procedure based on the constable's catechism.

7. It is considered unnecessary to give any allowance to Civic Guards for the period of training which may be limited to two hours a day on two or three days in the week for the first month and thereafter to one hour a week. It is proposed to give District Magistrates the discretion to grant Civic Guards a duty allowance not exceeding annas 8 per day whenever they are called out for duty. It is also proposed that the police should make arrangements for conveyance and accommodation for Civic Guards, if the duty is at a distance from Headquarters.

The Government of India have issued an Ordinance for the constitution

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Submitted to H. H. (contd.)

of Civic Guards. Certain Provincial Governments have framed their own rules to suit local requirements in the matter.

Draft of an Act prepared on the lines of the British Indian Ordinance is submitted herewith for His Highness's gracious assent.

Mirza M. Ismail

Bangalore, DEWAN.

2nd November 1940.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Constitution of Civic Guards in the State.

Chief Secy
8-11-40

Order.

No. 243

RW.
5/11/'40.

JMS
8.11.40

'General and Revenue
Secretariat.

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SUBJECT:—

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31 All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Members of Council for perusal of His Highness, orders before/~~after~~ issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

....Department.

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8.11.40

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

8/11/40

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. (On deputation)

9.11.40

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From The I G of Police.

5 D.O.C.C. 1/4041 of 9th Nov. 40 suggesting that each Civic Guard should be supplied with two Khaki Shirts and two pairs of Khaki Shorts at Government Cost in addition to the brassards.

The procedure adopted elsewhere is noted below for information.

'J' In Q. P the uniform with the armlet will be provided free by the Govt. The Civic Guards will be armed with short lathis and armlet. The uniform comprises of Grey Shirts. Shirts Stockings. Peshwai Chappals and Forage caps. They will Wear an armlet in red bearing the letter C.G in black.

Fly 'M' Rule 8 of the Bombay Govt. enacts that every person appointed as a member of the Civic Guard shall, while he is on duty, Wear the uniform supplied to him or if he has not been supplied with a uniform, the armlet prescribed in this behalf by the D. M.

'V' The Circular by the Commr of Police Ct Nadu states that it is proposed to ask each member to provide himself at his own cost with grey Shirt and trousers or Shorts and a plain brown leather belt of approved pattern. Brassards and Short lathis will be provided. The uniform will not be insisted on at present.

S In Madras it is seen that there will be no uniform but they will Wear an easily distinguishable armlet.

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The Bombay Press Note says that Civic Guards with fez cap wear a distinct amulet and will be armed with a baton. There is no mention re: the uniform.

The I G P has stated that the cost of the uniform will not exceed Rs 6000/- and Rs 500/- for brassards taking the maximum no of Civic Guards in the State as 1000. Submd for perusal and orders. The D M Kolar has also suggested that Uniform should be supplied at Govt cost. The file will be sent to the Legislative Section for formulating in the Act and framing rules thereunder, as soon as orders are passed in the matter of supplying uniform at Govt cost.

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(RS XII/XI)

The provision of uniforms at the cost of Government does not seem to be contemplated in several Provinces in British India (except in U. P.). The main distinctive feature is the wearing of an easily distinguishable amulet. There seems to be no doubt, however, that the grant of a special uniform will secure uniformity and stimulate recruitment and may infuse a better spirit of Comradeship & discipline. Whether these may be provided at a cost of Rs 6000 is for consideration.

The Brassards will cost only Rs 500.

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The [redacted] Act may be promulgated immediately and draft rules also framed. All further action may be taken in the matter in the Protection Branch—

[redacted]

CPA
12/11/40

Chief Secy

(1) The ordinance may be promulgated now

(2) The Deputy Commrs may be informed that action may be taken to enrol Guards and in order to do so, prepare lists of Eligible Candidates.

(3) The Khaki Sample Suit by the I.G.P. may be approved.

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(4) Sanction may be given for the provision of uniforms to the Civic Guards, a Sum of Rs 7500 being provided for as an addl. Grant or as a Special Grant. The uniform may be worn while on duty or on parade. During training mere khaki would do.

(5) I.G.P's proposal to issue batons to Guards may be accepted.

MK
12/11

1st Member

Dewan

Dhro' Secy.

NLL
13/11/40

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15-11-40

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MJ
16-11-40
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With refce to the Orders suggn, the file will be sent to the Prohibition Branch for the necessary action in the matter of promulgation of the Act, and framing rules thereunder. — This may be done separately the papers CJA

If approved, the IGP will be communicated of the orders passed on the other points referred to in his letter, before sending the file to Prohn. Br. The cost of uniform and brassards will be Rs 6500 as seen from the IGP's letter. This refce is invited to orders suggn that a sum of Rs 7500/- may be provided for as an addl grant or as a special grant Scbd with a draft to the IGP for consideration.

RS 19/XI

The Legislative Section for kindly looking relevant extracts from the file re: the promulgation of the Act and framing rules thereunder and returning the file to the War Section.

Prohn. Br.) CJA 20/11

RS 20/XI

Extract and Copy of bill taken for further action. The file with may be returned to the War Section.

NNN 21/11

20/11/40 Home

The draft to the IGP with memo to the Dy Mo is for consideration

For perusal before issue CJA 21/11

RS 21/XI

First Member)

Issued 2200 & 25 Copies to the IGP. NNN 22/11/40
2201 & " to Dy Mo.

Home 22/11 CJA 22/11

HOME & REV. SECRETARIAT Legis 20 NOV 1940 POTSDAM

OFFICE OF THE FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL NOV 22 1940 No. 5/4 0.

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From The D. M Kolar
9.1.Pr. 2. 4/40-41 dt 21st Nov. 40 re. Civic Guards
D. M. Chitaldrug
C.I. C. 3738/39-40 dt 2nd Dec. 40 ..

6 From The Hon'ble the Resident.
D.O.F. 130/40 W dt 5th Dec. 40 regarding to intimate the progress made so far.

'W' Kind reference is invited to the letter issued by the I.G.P. and D.Ms re. the Constitution of Civic Guards. Both the D. Ms Kolar & Chitaldrug have given an idea of the number enrolled in their respective Dts. The D.M Kolar has stated that Civic Guards at Doravagere will be constituted on the 8th Dec. 1940.

The Emergency Act has already issued and has been published in the Mysore Gazette. Rules are being framed in the Legislative Section. In this connection the Madras Govt Rules published in to-days 'Hindu' is for perusal.

Bombay Govt Rules. 'M'
'X'

The Hon'ble the Resident has requested information as to the progress made so far. In the absence of information from the D.Cs re. the total no enrolled in each Dt, it may not be possible to give an idea as to the number. Perhaps a reply may be sent that an Emergency Act has issued and necessary rules are also being framed. The DCs are taking necessary action re. enrolment. The I.G.P has stated that the total no will not exceed 1000 for the whole State in his letter dt 9th Nov. 40.

Submitted for perusal and orders.

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Please put up draft intimating action taken so far
CSR 6/12

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Submitted with a draft for consideration. The Hon'ble the Revenue requires details about the size, organisation etc of the Civic Guard when it is raised. If approved the Draft with a request to issue a reply to Govt. re the enrolments in their respective Dists.

RS 7/12

RS 7/12

*(A tentative list of persons enrolled so far (received today from the D.G.P.) is separately under Submn to H.H. A Copy is placed below for reference. It seems however to be not quite complete & so these details may be communicated a little later) Chief Sec 7/12/40.

CHIEF SEC. TO THE FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL
DEC 7 1940
No. 5718

7. DEC. 1940
GOVT. OF MYSORE.

1st Member)
Draft approved by Member.

MK 7.12.40

GCS 8/12

MK 9/12

Issue D.O 3931 & 10th Dec. 40 to the Hon'ble the Revenue.

NOTIFICATION.

Order No. P. 2762 —*Legis.* 23-40-1, *dated Bangalore, the 26th November* 1940.

Ordered that the accompanying Emergency Act to provide for the constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore which received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja, on the 5th day of November 1940, be published as Act No. XXVII of 1940, in the *Mysore Gazette* for general information.

H. V. NARAYANA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

Act No. XXVII OF 1940.

The Civic Guards (Emergency) Act, 1940.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTITUTION OF CIVIC GUARDS IN MYSORE.

(*Received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja on the fifth day of November* 1940.)

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which makes it necessary to provide for the constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore.

NOW THEREFORE, under Section 12 of the Mysore Legislative Council Act, 1923, it is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Civic Guards (Emergency) Act, 1940.

(2) It extends to the whole of Mysore.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Constitution of Civic Guards.

2. The District Magistrate of a district may constitute for that district a body to be called the Civic Guard, the members of which shall discharge such functions in relation to the protection of persons, the security of property or the public safety as may be assigned to them in accordance with the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder.

Appointment of members.

3. The District Magistrate of a district may appoint as members of the Civic Guard so many persons, who are fit and willing to serve as such, as he is authorised by the Government to appoint and may appoint any such member to any office of command in the Civic Guard.

Functions of members.

4. The District Magistrate of a district may at any time call out a member of the Civic Guard for training or to discharge any of the functions assigned to the Civic

Guard in accordance with the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder.

Powers, protection and control.

5. (1) A member of the Civic Guard when called out under section 4 shall have the same powers, privileges and protection as an officer of police appointed under any law for the time being in force.

(2) No prosecution shall be instituted against a member of the Civic Guard in respect of anything done or purporting to be done by him in the discharge of his functions as such member, except with the previous sanction of the District Magistrate.

Control by officers of police force.

6. The members of the Civic Guard when called out under section 4 directly in aid of the police force, shall be under the control of the officers of such force, in such manner and to such extent as may be prescribed by rules made under section 8.

Penalty.

7. If any member of a Civic Guard, on being called out under section 4, without sufficient excuse, neglects or refuses to obey such order, or to discharge his functions as a member of the Civic Guard, or to obey any lawful order or direction given to him for the performance of his duties, he shall, on conviction by a competent court, be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Rules.

8. The Government may make rules consistent with this Act—

(*a*) providing for the exercise by any police officer or other servant of the Government of the powers conferred on the District Magistrate by section 4 of this Act;

(*b*) providing for the exercise of control by officers of the police force over members of the Civic Guard when acting directly in aid of the police force;

(*c*) regulating the organisation, appointment, conditions of service, duties, discipline, arms, accoutrements and clothing of members of the Civic Guard and the manner in which they may be called out for service;

(*d*) conferring on members of the Civic Guard according to their office any powers, other than magisterial or judicial powers, exercisable by any person under any Act;

(*e*) generally for giving effect to the provisions of this Act.

MIRZA M. ISMAIL,
Dewan.

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Printed by the Superintendent at the Government Press, Bangalore.

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,

BANGALORE.

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C I V I C G U A R D S.

BANGALORE CITY	154	Training Commenced
CHENNAPATNA	35	
MYSORE CITY	166	Training commences to-morrow.
Nanjangud	44	Training commenced
Kolar	40	
Kolar Gold Field	45	45 more to be enlisted.
CHITALDRUG	30	Training commenced
HASSAN	37	
MANDYA	40	
TUMKUR		
SHIMOGA & BHADRAVATHI	88	
KADUR	40	
DAVANAGERE	42	
	761	

Formal enrolment has not taken place as the promulgation of the Civil Guards Act is awaited.

The above figures are as per lists of volunteers compiled in Districts.

Lubd
Reacha
6.12.40.

General and Revenue Secretariat | File No. of 194 . | [App. F. III-2

Serial No.

OFFICE
No. 3731

Subject:- Constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore.

A D.S.N. is put up submitting for H.H.'s perusal a statement showing the number of Guards so far enrolled.

Dewan)

7.12.40

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

Submitted to His Highness.

T With the gracious approval of His Highness, an Act was promulgated to provide for the constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore, and this was published in the Gazette dated the 28th November 1940.

B I submit for His Highness's gracious information a statement showing the number of Civic Guards who have volunteered to enrol in the several Districts of the State. Action is being taken to give them necessary training.

N Raghavendra Rao

Bangalore,
10th December 1940.

First Member of Council in charge of current duties of the Dewan.

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

Subject.

Statement showing the number of Civic Guards enrolled in the State.

(Necessary

13-12-40.

No. 359

Order.

R.W.
11/12/'40.

13.12.40

General and Revenue
Secretariat.

H.H. 383.

SUBJECT:—

Statement showing the number of Civic Guards enrolled in the State.

(*)

31. All urgent or confidential files returned with His Highness' orders may in the absence of instructions or indications to the contrary, be ordinarily circulated to the Members of Council for perusal after the issue of orders.

33. The Secretaries concerned should see that orders in the cases referred to above are issued at once and that the files are returned immediately after to the Chief Secretary for circulation to the Members.

34. In all other cases, the files will first be circulated to the Members of Council at Headquarters and then sent to the Secretariat concerned for the issue of orders.

Circulated to Members of Council for perusal of His Highness, orders before/after issue of orders. (*Vide* Rules 31, 33 and 34 of the Subsidiary Rules for the conduct of business of Council in the Manual of Council Rules and Procedure.)

Chief Secretary to Government.

Through the Secretary to Government,

....Department.

6019
13.12.40

FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

13/12/40

SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL. (On Deptn)

13/12

NOTE.—Contn. sheet

WD 01183—GPB—500—16-10-40

OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

CIVIC GUARDS.

Bangalore City	...	154	Training commenced.
Chennapatna	...	35	
Mysore City	...	166	Training commences tomorrow.
Nanjangud	...	44	Training commenced.
Kolar	...	40	
Kolar Gold Field	...	45	45 more to be enlisted.
Chitaldrug	...	30	Training commenced.
Hassan	...	37	
Mandya	...	40	
Tumkur	...		
Shimoga and Bhadravati	..	88	
Kadur	...	40	
Davangere	...	42	
		761	

10-12-46

1822/C.B. Enrolment of Civic Guards in the State

General and Revenue Secretariat | File No. | of 194 . | [App. F. III-2

Serial No.

From

The Commandant Civic Guard Belgaum

Letter dt 7th Dec. 42 re: the Civic Guard Organisation at Belgaum.

I Member's minute on the P.V.D.

"May be sent to I.G.P. for perusal & return. N.M. 12/12/42"

Subd with a draft to the I.G.P.

RS 14/12

do

Q.P.44/12

Issued 21450 dt 14th Dec. 42 to the I.G.P.

8 From The Hon'ble the Resident.

D.O. no F. 138-42/W dt 16th Dec. 42 stating that it would be useful if the Civic Guards could also be given some preliminary training in A.R.P. fire-fighting and first aid.

Kind regret is invited to Clause 7(c) of the Bombay Govt Rules which provides for such a contingency as regards Para 3 of the P.V.D. The Madras Rules do not specifically mention it. But it is doubtful whether there are men in the Police Force in this State who are qualified to give some preliminary training in A.R.P to the Civic Guards. Mr. Peel has suggested the Sending of an officer from the Police Dept to Bombay. If approved this file will be sent to the Secretariat for framing rules on the basis of the instructions issued by this Govt to the D.Mo. The Madras and Bombay Rules are below for regret.

Mag 'X'

'J'

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

Are not rules being framed already?

QP

RS 17/12

3729 pfw

Enrolment of Civic Guard in the State.

File No. of 194 . | General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No. 1

The Protn Branch may kindly note what action has been taken so far in the matter of framing Rules under the Act (vide office notes d. 20th & 21st Nov 40 in the file)

GB 17/12/40

MKV 19/12

Draft Rules have been framed and have been submitted for orders.

Sne 20.1.41

MKV 20/1

Asst Secy Finance WC

For perusal.

(The Chief Secy said that urgent action was necessary in regard to this matter & I have informed the Protn Br)

GB 20/1/41

Chief Sy

MKV 20/1/41

20 JAN [illegible] DEPT OF [illegible]

D.O. No.
C. 3512

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C3

Vasantha Mahal,

Mysore, 17th January 1941.

C.B. Inform
Put up a note
in the papers
Invite 50 Pax. The I.G.P.'s Spec.
Meeting to be convened.
MG
18/1/41

Dear Mr Kesavaiengar,

I am desired to request you kindly to send me a report, for the information of His Highness the Maharaja, of the progress that has been made in regard to the enrolment of Civic Guards in the State, and the nature of the duties that are being performed by those that have so far been enrolled.

I am desired also to enquire whether it would be practicable to arrange for a parade of the Civic Guards in any of the districts which are included in His Highness's forthcoming tour.

Yours sincerely,

RK3

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the State

Serial No.

Regarding Para 2, a letter is submitted to the Dy Mo for consideration.

Para 1, perhaps the IGP may be able to give an idea of the latest progress since then. He has no information viz. the exact no enrolled in each Dt and the duties performed by them.

— 725 —

RS 21/1

Draft letter for perusal before issue.

CPR 20/1

Approved

Issue and submit to Govt for perusal. What about the rules to be framed? How far has it progressed?

MK 20/1/41

(Action is being taken by this Legis. Section. I understand that the draft Rules are ready and have been submitted for approval) separately CPR

Issued D.O. 2876-84 dt 20th Jan 41 to the DMs & SPs to the IGP.

2885

RS 20/1

Resubmitted.

For perusal

CPR 21/1/41

First Member

RLL 21/1/41

From The IGP C.C. 1/40-41 dt 23rd Jan 41 re the suggested parade for Civic Guards.

MK 22/1

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

Submd for perusal and orders whether the P.S.M may be intimated of the above facts, pending receipt of the replies from the DMs.

RS 23/1

Yes. MK 24/1/41

We may wait for a day or two more & then remind them. CPR 23/1

Please bring up tomorrow CPR 24/1/41

Please put up on 25/1/41 if no reply is received

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the State.

File No. of 194 . | General and Revenue Secretariat

Serial No.

From

The I G of Police.

C.C. 1/40 41 d 23rd Jan. 41 stating that it has not so far been possible to issue uniform to the Civic Guards and consequently it is perhaps premature to arrange for ceremonial parades at this stage.

The D. M. Chitaldrug.

G.I.B.R. 24/40-41 d 22nd Jan. 41 forwarding a report

D. M. Kolar A.S.C. 2522/39-40 d 22nd Jan. 41

D. M. Mysore G.I. 100P./39-40 d 24th Jan. 41.

D. M. Shimoga A.A.C. 1901-60/40-41 d 25th Jan. 41

D. M. Tumkur G.C. 100/40-41 d 25th Jan. 41.

The I G P has stated that it has not been possible to issue uniform to the Civic Guards and that it is perhaps premature to arrange for ceremonial parades at this stage. The D Ms of Shimoga and Kolar have also reported that the training is incomplete and for want of uniform it may not be practicable to arrange for a parade. Submitted with a draft D.O to the P.S.M as directed.

RS 27/1

No reply has been received from the D.C. Hassan so far.

Perhaps a reply may be sent to the P.S. to H.H. with refce. to para 2 of his letter

Draft for consideration

Qpl 27/1

Chief Sy

Civic 2475/37 Guard 824/37

General and Revenue Secretariat | File No. | of 194 . | [App. F. III-2

Serial No.

JAN 31 1941
7212

Draft reply incorporating information received so far is sent up for consideration.

(~~Reports~~ Replies have not been received from the Dy Comrs of Bangalore & Hassan to the latest reference, & figures for these are taken from a report received from the D.G.P. a ~~week~~ month back)

CPA
30/1

Chief Sec

For perusal.

MK
29.1.41

1st Member)

NCM
31/1/41

MK
31/1/41

Hon
CPA
31/1/41

Issued 3037/GS dt 1st Feby 1941 to the Private Secy to HH

NOTE—Contn. Sheet.

W-154-40-1 D 3305

D.O.No.F.138/1940.

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE
8th June 1940.

My dear Sir Mirza M 2608

I am writing to invite your attention to the statement made by His Excellency the Viceroy on the 5th of June, which you will have seen in the Press, in regard to the proposal to form District War Committees and to establish a special body to be known as 'The Civic Guard' throughout British India. His Excellency remarked that the District War Committees will be designed to afford the primary means by which the public will receive guidance and assistance in every aspect of the war conditions by which they are affected, and will be enabled to organise themselves to contribute in a variety of ways to the common safety and the war effort. The Committees will be representative of all communities and schools of thought and Deputy Commissioners will preside over them. Their duties will be to undertake such beneficent activities connected with war as assistance in recruitment, counteracting false rumours, propaganda designed to set out the Allies view of the war, assistance for soldiers families in consultation with Soldiers Boards where these exist, encouragement to the public to invest money in Government Securities or to make financial donations to the war, and the general dissemination of information. It is proposed in British India to set up a Provincial Committee in each Province to correlate the work of District Committees. I am sure the Government of Mysore will welcome this opportunity still further to manifest their warm support to the common cause and will take early steps, subject to such modifications as conditions in the State may render desirable to set up similar District War Committees in the Mysore State and to consider the necessity for establishing a Central State Committee, which would correspond to a Provincial Committee, to supervise their work. In British India the Civic Guard will be a body of a voluntary character which will be affiliated to the

regular

regular Police and which could render service in connection with the maintenance of public order, Air Raid Precautions, anti-sabotage measures and various aspects of internal defence. Further details regarding the raising of Civic Guard in British India will be furnished shortly. I should be grateful to know as soon as possible the steps taken by the Government of Mysore both in regard to the formation of War Committees and the Civic Guard.

Yours sincerely,

Amin-ul-mulk
Sir Mirza M.Ismail.K.C.I.E.,O.B.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

5611-19 (Cs D/20-6-40

My Dear Sir,

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I am to request you to kindly take necessary action for forming a District Committee in your District immediately with yourself as the President, and intimate the action taken in the matter to Government.

Yours sincerely,

13/6

The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

5610/C8 & 25/6/40

Dear Sir,

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5610/C.B(2.2)

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D. O. No.

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Yours sincerely,

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.
19th June 1940.

SECRET.
D.O.No.F.138/1940.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
20 JUN 1940
NO. M-2663
9008

CIVIC GUARDS.

D 3184
War.

My dear Sir Mirza

In continuation of my demi-official letter No. F.138/1940, dated the 8th June 1940, I am sending you as promised therein instructions regarding the raising of Civic Guards in British India. You will see from paragraph 4 of Home Department letter No. 174/30/39-[redacted]ce, dated the 7th June 1940, that the Government of India are leaving each Province to settle the details of its own organization and the manner of its employment in the light of local conditions and requirements. I have no doubt that you will now wish to consider in the light of these general instructions of the Government of India to Provinces, the size, organisation, manner of employment and other details of a Civic Guard which you will no doubt wish to raise in the Mysore State.

I should be grateful if you would kindly inform me, for the information of the Government of India, of the nature of the action taken by the Mysore Government in this matter as soon as a decision has been reached.

Yours sincerely
Dewan.

Subd to I Mysore

Chg Secy
19-6-40

Amin-ul-mulk Sir Mirza M.Ismail,K.C.I.E.,C.B.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

CB.
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20/6

Draft with Subd
Dewan)
MS
24/6

MS
25-6-40

D.O.No.9349

25th June 1940.

My dear Colonel Gordon,

I write to acknowledge with thanks the receipt of your D.O. letter No. F.138/1940 dated the 19th June 1940 regarding the raising of Civic Guards.

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Necessary action will be taken in the matter of raising a Civic Guard in the State to suit local conditions on the lines contained in the Government of India Home Department letter No. 174/30/39/Police dated the 7th June 1940.

Yours Sincerely
(Sd) Mirza M. Ismail

The Hon'ble
Lieut.-Colonel J. H. Gordon, C.I.E., O.B.E., M.C.,
Resident in Mysore,
BANGALORE.

25.6.40

M. KK

25/6

OFFICE OF THE
GOVT. AGENT OF COURGH
JUN 24 1940
No. 12244

CB 3411

No. 5681/21.1
Dt 27.6.40.

Subd

MK 24/6

1st member)

MK 25/6/40

MK 25.6.40

My dear Ramanathan,

In continuation of my D.O. letter No.561 C.B. dated 20th June 1940, I am desired to forward herewith a copy of the Government of India Home Department letter No.174/Pol. date 7th June 1940 conveying their instructions regarding the raising of civic guards in British India. It will be seen from paragra 4 of the letter, that the Government of India are leaving each province to settle the detai of its organization and the manner of its employment in the light of local conditions & requirements.. The size of the organizatior the manner of employment and other details of the civic guard are therefore left to us to decide. I am to request you to kindly ~~take necessary action~~ Submit Suitable proposals in the matter at a very early date in consultation with the Deputy Commissioners of Districts, to whom a copy of this communication has been forwarded.

Yours sincerely,

MK 24/6

Rajasevaprasaktha
A. V. Ramanathan, Esq.,B.A.,
I. G. of Police in Mysore.

No. S-682-90 /Est. Dt 29.6.40.

Copy to Deputy Commissioners of Dists

Rajasevaprasaktha
Mr. B. T. KESAVAIENGAR, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government.

D. O. No. S-681/21

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 25th June 1940.

My dear Ramanathan,

In continuation of my D. O. letter No.5610/J.B. dated 20th June 1940, I am desired to forward herewith a copy of the Government of India Home Department letter No.174/Pol. dated 7th June 1940 conveying their instructions regarding the raising of civic guards in British India. It will be seen from paragraph 4 of the letter, that the Government of India are leaving each province to settle the details of its organization and the manner of its employment in the light of local conditions and requirements. The size of the organization the manner of employment and other details of the civic guard are therefore left to us to decide. I am to request you to kindly submit suitable proposals in the matter at a very early date in consultation with the Deputy Commissioners of Districts, to whom a copy of this communication has been forwarded.

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(Sd.) B. T. Kesavaiengar,
Chief Secretary to Government.

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Offg. Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

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Memo No. S-682-90. Dy 27 6 40

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the District Magistrate of _____ Districts.

for Chief Secretary to Govt.

C.B. 6
T.T.W.

CONFIDENTIAL.
D.O.No.F.138-1940.

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.
28th June 1940.

DE CE
9. JUN 1940
No. M.2707

My dear Sir Mirza.

Many thanks for your letter No. 9243, dated the 20th June 1940. I should be grateful if you would kindly arrange to let me have furthur particulars about the Committees when they are formed.

2. As regards the Civic Guard, I have sent you the required particulars with my letter of the 19th June 1940.

Yours sincerely

C. Leas
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CB.
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Amin-ul-mulk Sir Mirza M.Ismail,
K.C.I.E.,O.B.E.,

Dewan of Mysore, Bangalore.

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D. O. No. C.C.1/40-41 W154-40

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2.7.40.

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police
In Mysore.

OFFICE OF THE
FIRST MEMBER OF COUNCIL
JUL 8 1940
No. 126

BANGALORE

July 2, 1940.

CB. Papers MK 2.7.40

Ref 'P'

With reference to your D.O. letter No.5681/GC.1 dated 25/27-6-1940 to Ramanathan, I enclose for your information a copy of my Circular letter No.C.C.1/40-41 dated July 2, 1940 to all Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

In the meantime, I suggest that steps be taken to amend the Mysore Police Act on the lines suggested in paragraph 5 of the Government of India, Home Department's letter No.174/30/39 Police dated 7-6-1940.

Yours sincerely,

Encl.

Submitted for perusal in the first instance. The case will be worked up and submitted. (Sd) Ramanathan 3.7.40

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Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

No.C.C.1(1)/40-41

Office of the
Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore, dated July 2, 1940.

From

The Inspector-General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

All Deputy Commissioners
of Districts.

SUBJECT: Enrolment of "Civic Guards" in the Mysore State.

Sir,

With reference to the penultimate paragraph of the Chief Secretary's letter No.5611-19/CB dated June 20, 1940, I have the honour to inform you that it is proposed to raise a force of "Civic Guards" on an entirely voluntary basis, for part-time duty as patrols, for watch and ward against sabotage, etc. and to aid the regular Police forces in emergencies and in cases of civil disorder or panic.

Purpose of Civic Guards.

It is not intended that the Civic Guards shall ordinarily be used for the protection of vital places and installations, for which application will be made for the entertainment of temporary additional Police, for the duration of the War, to the extent to which the existing regular Police Force is insufficient for the purpose. The idea is rather to relieve the regular Police in times of emergency of some of the special duties now assigned to them, thus setting them free for work requiring personnel with a higher standard of training. Civic Guards could be usefully employed, for example, at large festivals and shandy centres and for patrolling in large towns and cities. They would also be available to assist the regular Police in collecting information of "fifth Column" activities, pro-enemy propaganda

propaganda and in connection with A.R.P.

Method of enrolment.

Since it is essential that Civic Guards should be subject to regular discipline and should enjoy the powers and protection extended to special constables under the Police Act, it is proposed to enrol them as Special Constables under the Mysore Police Act, which is being amended for the purpose. Only persons of proved character who are in no way liable to enemy influence may be recruited and they must be able to spare the time for a short course of training, to be followed by periods of duty which normally would not exceed one day a week.

Civic Guards should be enrolled in groups of ten under an officer, the latter being styled "Officer of the Civic Guard" and the rank and file "Civic Guards". It is suggested that the best method of obtaining suitable candidates would be, first of all, to select influential men between the ages of, approximately, 25 and 45, who would be likely to assist in recruitment and would themselves qualify as group commanders.

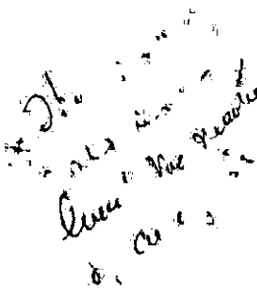
Groups should not be organised on a communal basis and no communal discrimination should be exercised when enrolling Civic Guards; in fact, the more general the basis of recruitment to a group, the better.

It should be explained beforehand through influential persons in each area that the Civic Guards in that area will not be called out as a whole except in an emergency. In such cases arrangements should be made for supplying them with food and accommodation if their duties prevent them from making their own arrangements.

Training.

Civic Guards will be based on Police Stations and recruitment should, as far as possible, be from among persons living in the vicinity in order

order to facilitate training and ensure speedy contact. It is considered that the preliminary training in the various duties which Civic Guards will be required to perform should be given at Police Stations under the supervision of the Taluk Inspector, assisted by the Sub Inspector, for about two hours on three days a week for the first month, and thereafter for one hour a week. Drill need not be taught, but instruction should be given in simple Police procedure. After enrolment, it should be possible to arrange for each group to perform some light Police duty on one day in each week, eg. patrolling at weekly shandies or local festivals, or accompanying the Police on night rounds in towns and municipalities.



To be limited to District & Sub-Divisional headquarters.

It is thought advisable to limit the scheme to distric and subdivisional headquarters in the first instance, the number being limited to 50% of the regular Police allocation at such headquarters. Civic Guards would, however, be required to serve, if necessary, anywhere in the district in which they are enrolled.

Pay.

It is hoped and believed that the public anxiety to render service for internal defence will be a sufficient inducement to permit of the recruitment of Civic Guards on a purely voluntary basis, and that it will be necessary only to grant a subsistence allowance for the periods during which the Guards are called up for regular duty. I shall be grateful for an expression of your views on this point.

I am to request that you will be good enough to inform me at an early date whether you agree generally with these proposals and whether you have any further suggestions

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to make in this connection, so that formal proposals may be submitted for the approval of Government.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

SD. E.G.B.PEEL.

INSPECTOR GENERAL OF POLICE.

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Inspector-General of Police.

No 174/30/39/Police.

Government of India.

Home Department.

Sir,

I am directed to address you regarding the need of strengthening the forces available to the Provincial Government for the purposes connected with internal defence. At the outset of the war it was incumbent on Provincial Governments to take certain action as indicated in the War Book, for which the civil administration was responsible, and so far as the Government of India are aware the requirements have been met by the strengthening of the Provincial Police Forces to the extent which was then found to be necessary. So far as the duty in question involves the performance of agency function on behalf of the centre, the strength of the Police required for these purposes has been settled in agreement between the Central and Provincial Governments and the Government of India have already accepted financial liability for them. The Government of India presume that all precautions hitherto considered necesary for such purposes as the protection of vital places and installations and the guarding of public bildings are already in existence whether the responsibility for theses precautions rests with the Provincial or with the Central Government.

With the present intensification or war conditions, however, it has become urgently necessary to review the adequacy of the arrangements already undertaken and to make additional povision for public safety and the maintenance of confidence among the public. In particular, additional precautions are necessary to prevent acts of sabotage, to meet the possibility of enemy air attack and to deal with "fifth column" activities. The Government of India have had under consideration the means by which this additional protection should be povided and they are impressed by the necessity of a considerable expansion of personnel in order to deal with possible enemy activities on a wider scale than has hitherto been contemplated.

2. In order to assist a review of the requirements, I am to enclose two statements, X & Y, which are intended to summarise the matters coming within the scope of internal defence and to show the division of responsibilities between the military and the civil administrations in regard to such matters. It may be assumed that the military forces available for internal security purposes will at all times be adequate to discharge the duties detailed in statement X. It is now for civil administrations to review the adequacy of the existing forces available for discharge of their responsibilities as shown in statement Y having due regard to the case referred to in paragraph 8 of that statement.

It is not necessary for the purposes of the present communication to enter into detail regarding the exient to which the functions indicated in this statement could properly be assigned to the Centre or to the Provinces. The principle to be adopted in regard to these requirements will be that hitherto followed, namely, that it will be the duty of the Province to provice the organisation and personnel needed and the Central Government will accept

accept liability for the cost of those items which are clearly its own responsibility. While, as already remarked, it is hoped that the requirements indicated in statement Y have been covered by the police arrangements and dispositions already carried out in the Provinces, in some cases in consultation with Departments of the Central Government.

It is clear that in existing circumstances the demands on these protective arrangements are liable at any time to become greater and that new requirements may arise which were not specifically in view when precautions were adopted on the present scale. It will, for instance, almost certainly become necessary to increase the number of places and areas declared as "protected". This necessity in itself will place additional burdens on the police. Further, it will be obvious that in the event of air attack the arrangements for the control of the civil population or for the assistance of Air Raid Precautions personnel may become more widespread than anything which the existing organisation was designed to cover.

3. Some increase will no doubt be necessary in the regular police forces to enable them to undertake adequately the additional essential police duties which must inevitably arise. It will, however, be evident that there will be certain other duties, closely linked with police work, which could efficiently be performed by a simpler and cheaper type of organisation with a more limited training, and in particular by voluntary workers in so far as these were available. What the Government of Inida therefore contemplate is that a force of a new character should be recruited and maintained for a group of duties strictly related to war requirements and of a character auxialiary to the normal duties of the regular police force. Such a force would admit of comparatively speedy training for simple types of duty, and in so far as it was able to relieve regular police forces. Such a force would admit of comparatively speedy training for simple types of duty, and in so far as it was able to relieve regular police forces of some of the special duties now assigned to them the latter would become available for work requiring personnel of a higher standard of training. The duties contemplated are however, in themselves of great importance and in the view of the Government of India it is essential that any forces recruited for these purposes should be under full discipline and have powers and protection similar to those provided in the police Acts for special constables.

4. The Government of India, therefore, desire that the Provincial Government should give its early attention to the recruitment and training of a force of the kind indicated on a scale wide enough to meet all requirements which can now be foreseen throught the Province. They would desire, as far as possible, to leave it to each Province to settle the details of its own organisation and the manner of its employment in the light of the local conditions and requirements.

They would, however, sugest that attention should first be given to the requirements of urban areas where volunteers of the type required are most likely to be available and the duties in view are likely to be most urgent and continuous. In rural areas, it may be possible to organise the volunteers on a basis of by which those enrolled will be called up for duty only when an emergency actually arises or at stated intervals on some principle of rotation. While, however, the Government of India desire to leave the whole organisation on a provincial basis and have no intention of attempting to impose any detailed control from the Centre, they desire that it should be of the same general character throughout India and that its unity of purpose should be recognised by the adoption

of a common name and status. The name under which, after full consideration, the Government of India wish this organis tion to be known is, "The Civic Guard". The status contemplated for its members will be similar to that of special constables under the existing Police Acts, and it is not proposed that they should carry fire-arms.

5. The Government of India have examined the possibility of enrolling the members of the Civic Guard as special constables under the provisions of section 17 of the Indian Police Act or corresponding sections of Provincial Acts. They find, however, that the provisions of section 17 permit the enrolment of special constables only on the occurrence of a disturbance of peace or reasonable apprehension of such a disturbance and thatinsufficient provisions exists in the Act for the training or or regulation of such a force. The effect of the use of this section would be that the force could not be permanently embodied until danger actually arose, and although personnel might be selected in advance there would be no control over those enlisted for the purposes of regular training. This situation was considered in Burma in 1939 in connection with the establishment of the Police reserves, and in consequence of the report of the Barma Enquiry Committee section 17 of the Police was amended and two sections were added by Burma Act IV, 1939, a copy of which (with slight amendments) is appended to this letter. The effect of these amendments would be that the force could be brought into existence at once under rules and orders framed by the Inspector General of Police of the Province. If the Provincial Government agree, the Government of India will undertake a corresponding amendment of the Indian Police Act and bring it into force in the meanwhile by means of an Ordinance promulgated by the Governor-General.

I am also to enclose for the information of the Provincial Government a copy of the rules framed by the Inspector General of Police, Burma, under the amended Act for the special police reserve officers. These rules will give a general idea of the type of organisation and conditions of service, discipline, etc., which might be suitable for the force contemplated. I am, however, to emphasise that in the case of the Civic Guard, the creterion of suitability suitability to ge applied must be rigorous and that no candidate should be enlisted whose antecedents are not such as to assure the Provincial Government that he is not amenable to enemy influence.

It will be observed that in the rules applicable to Burma certain rates of pay and allowances have been prescribed. As already stated in this letter it is contemplated that the Civic Guard should be recruited on a voluntary basis and the Government of India have reason to believe that the public anxiety to render service for internal defence will be a sufficient inducement to enable the recruitment of a body of voluntary character.

It is, therefoe, suggested that in so far as may be possible the persons enlisted should receive subsistence allowance only during periods in which they were called up for training or duty, and I am to enquire whether the Provincial Government agree that these terms would be suitable.

6. In conclusion I am to request that the Provincial Government will be god enough to keep the Government of India informed ofthe action which they are taking to meet the requirements indicated in this letter and to send details when available of the organisation of their Civic Guard and of the duties entrusted to them. In carrying out their review of the position and in framing the requirements, Pro-

Provincial Governments will no doubt take the appropriate local military authorities into consultation.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Sd/- E. Conran Smith,

Secretary to the Government of India.

X
Statement showing military provisions for Internal Security and aid to the Civil Officer.

Protection of strategic railways.	1. Protection of all "strategic" railways, aided by small Police components in accordance with plans which have already been prepared in full consultation and agreement with all Civil authorities concerned.
Aid to Civil Power.	2. The provision of Regular troops - definitely ear-marked as Internal Security Troops - in aid of the Civil Power if and when required, both in peace and war.
Protection of vital points & installations.	3. The provision for the adequate guarding of certain places and installations (both Civil and Military) throughout India. The actual division of responsibility under this head, as between the Military and the Police, has already been arranged by the local authorities (Civil and Military) concerned.
Classified Keeps.	4. The provision of certain classified "Keeps" from which Military Columns can operate to restore the situation in the case of serious and widespread disturbances.
Warning and Observer system.	5. The provision of an adequate Warning and Observer system to cover vulnerable areas in Northern India in the event of hostile air attack.

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Statement showing responsibilities which should be assumed by the Police.

Strategic railways:-

1. Finding the Police component required to implement the Military Railway Security Scheme in the various sectors, throughout India, on the strategic railways. This affects all provinces and the duties comprise:-

(1) Intelligence Staff for M.I.Os.
(2) Intelligence personnel on bridges.
(3) Traffic control personnel on bridges.
(4) Liaison personel at Area and Section H.Q.
(5) Railway Security Police Reserves.

Important non-strategic railways:-

2. Finding protection for important non-strategic railways, over and above Railway Order Police. in the event of emergency and disturbances.

Law & Order:

3. Finding adequate police forces (armed and unarmed) to preserve Law and Order throughout the provinces without having recourse to military assistance except in the event of large scale disturbances. This entails adequate resources in the following types of police:-

Unarmed police.
Armed police.
Armed Police reserve.
Railway police.
C.I.D.

Protection of vital places and installations:-

(4) a.) Finding police forces for the guarding of vital places and installations is a matter in which responsibility is divided as between the military and the police (vide paragraph 3 of Statement X). The broad principle to be followed on the mutual division of responsibility between the two parties concerned is that the authority responsible for protection in peace ~~xxxxxxx~~ *continues to be responsible in War*. This principle cannot, however, be followed in toto since in war certain installations and places assume greatly increased importance and have to be taken over by the military. General provision for this division or responsibility in regard to places affected was made in the War Book. Any adjustments necessary have been or will shortly be made, by local authorities concerned. In the case of places or installations where it has been decided that police protection is sufficient, this protection will be a permanent police commitment for the duration of the war.*

** As laid down in War Book.*

(b) Certain places and areas have been declared "protected" under the Defence of India Act by the Central Government since the outbreak of war. Other places and areas may have been so declared by provinces. The effect of such declarations must be to throw a considerable extra burden on the police forces. It is essential that adequate police protection should be provided for all such places other than those for which responsibility has been assumed by the military, otherwise the declarations become a dead letter. In view of the recent developments in the course of the war, it will almost certainly be necessary to declare further ~~xx~~ *places and areas as "protected". ..*

Thus the police commitment in this connection will increase and police provision to meet it will have to be made in advance.

Sabotage:-

5. Finding police forces for protection against sabotage is an additional police commitment over and above the actual guarding of places and installations referred to in paragraph 4 above. This responsibility extends to all places and installations, eventhough the guarding of them may be a military responsibility. Such places may include:-

Military arsenals and factories.
Docks and warehouse areas.
Oil installations.
Civil aerodromes.
Public Utility installations.
Wireless stations.
Railway workshops.
Telegraph offices.
Telephone exchanges.

Emergencies arising from enemy attack.

6. Finding police forces for :-

(a) Control of the civil population and dealing wit the increased crime in vulnerable urban and rura in the event of air attack.

(b) Assistance to A.R.P. personnel in carrying out duties such as enforcement of blackouts, fire fighting, traffic control, rescue work, cordoning of damaged or contiminated areas and prevention of looting.

(c) Action to deal with parachutists in vulnerable areas inwhich troops are not located.

Aliens and 5th Column activities.

7. Finding of Criminal Investigation Department personnel for the adequate watching of aliens and for dealing with "5th Column" and subversive activities of all kinds.

8. The problems confrontingthe various provinces differ in every case. The conclusion from this is that the details of actual police requirements can only be adequately reviewed and worked out by the local civil authorities, in close cooperation with the local military commanders. In this connection the points mentioned in paragraphs 1-7 above appear applicable to all provinces. In making the provincialreview and asessingrequirements it should be closely borne in mind that provision must be made for the case in which the Field Army and Genereal Reserves are employed elsewhere and military assistance is restircted to the troops acually alloted for Internal and Railway Security duties.

THE POLICE (AMENDMENT) ACT.
BURMA ACT IV, 1939(22nd APRIL 1939).

1. After section17 of the Police Act, hereinafter referred to as the principal Act, the following sections shall be inserted:-

Section 17 A.-(1) It shall be lawful for the officer in charge of the police of a district to apply to the District Magistrate to appoint so many of the inhabitants of the district as such police officer may require to be special police reserve officers, notwithstanding that a breach of the public peace has not taken place or is not reasonably apprehended:

Provided that no person shall be appointed as a special police reserve officer against his will.

(2) Every special police reserve officer may be called out by the officer in charge of the police of the police district, in which he resides, for training or for the protection of its inhabitants and the security of property therein and for the general preservation of the public peace therein; but no such officer whall be employed for any other purpose without his consent and the District Magistrate's permission in writing.

Section 17B.- The Inspector-General of Police may, subject to the approval of the Governor, frame such orders and rules as he shall deem expedient relating to the organization, conditions of appointment and service, duties discipline, arms, accoutrements and clothing of the special police reserve officers appointed under Section 17A of this Act.

2. The following shll be substituted as sub-section(2) of section 17B of the principal Act:-

"18-Every special police reserve police officer appointed under Section 17 and every special police reserve officer, who has been called out under Section 17A(2), shall have the same powers, privileges and protection, be amenable to the same penalties, be subordinate to the same officers of police and be liable to perform the same duties in connection with the preservation of the public peace and the protection of life and property in the district, in which he resides, as the regular officers of police."

3. The following shall be substituted for section 19 of the principal Act:-

"If any person being appointed a special police officer under section 17 or if any special reserve police officer being called out under Section 17A(2) shall, without sufficient excuse, neglect or refuse to serve as such, or to obey such lawful order or direction as may be given to him for the performance of his duties, he shall be liable, upon conviction before a Magistrate, to a fine not exceedingfifty rupees for every such neglect, refusal or disobedience, G.B.C.P.O. No.11, J.D., 2-5-39.

Statistical Department No.7770-5R., 1, dated Rangoon, the 15th June, 1939.

Subject:- Special Police Reserve Officers Rules under Section 17B of the Police Act, 1861.

From J.P.W.Robertson, Esq., Assistant Inspector-General of Police, Burma, to the District Superintendent of Police, Assistant Superindents of Police and Deputy Superintendents of Police in independent charges.

I am directed to state the Governor of Burma has approved the issue of rules under section 17B of the Police Act, 1861, for the Special Police Reserve Officers, as noted hereunder:-

RULES MADE UNDER SECTION 17B OF THE PODICE ACT, 1861, RELATING TO SPECIAL POLICE RESERVE OFFICERS.

Organisation.

1. The number of the inhabitants of a district whom the officer in charge of the police of the district may require to be special police reserve officers shall be fixed by the Governor.

Enrolment.

2. Any person who is a British subject and who desires to join the Special Police Reserve must apply in writing to the officer in charge of the police of the district in which he resides.

3. A member of the Burma Auxiliary Force or of the Burma Auxiliary Force Reserve or of the Burma Territorial Force or an ex-Service man of the Army(excluding the Burma Auxiliary Force and the Burma Territorial Force) shall not, be eligible for enrolment.

4. A candidate for enrolment must be certified by a competent medical authority to be fit for ordinay police duties and must not be under 25 or over 60 years of age.

5. An enlistment certificate will be issued by the District Magistrate if he is satisffed that the candidate is suitable and understands the conditions of his service.

6. The loss of an enlistment certificate by a special police reserve officer must be reported immediately to the officer in charge of the police of his District. On quitting his appoint. ment, a special police reserve oficer must surrender his certificate to the nearest police station.

Conditions of Service.

7. Members of the Special Police Reserve will be liable for service anywhere in the district in which they are enrolled and when called out for duty must report to the nearest police station in the district.

8. They must undergo training for a month on enlistment and re-current training for a fortnight every year in accordance with arrangements made by the officer in charge of the police of the district.

9. A member of the Special Police Reserve [illegible] shall be deemed to be on duty when called out to perform any of the duties referred to in section 17A (2) of the Police Act, 1861.

Discipline.

10. Members of the Special Police Reserve shall conform to the following regulations:-

(a) They must notify the officer in charge of the district of any change in their permanent address or place of employment;

(b) When on duty they must conform to the regulations applicable to the ordinary police;

(c) they must not communicate with the Press or any political organisation or body in matters connected with their duties as special police reserve officers; and

(d) they must treat police reports or copies thereof as confidential documents.

11. The District Magistrate may determine the service of, or suspend or dismiss, any member of the Special Police Reserve.

Officers.

12. For every platoon of 25 men there will be one Sub Inspector of Police, one Head Constable and one Lance Head Constable.

Pay and allowances.

13. The following rates of pay will be admissible to special police reserve officers when called out for duty:-

Sub Inspectors of Police	*.....Rs.*	*60 per mensem.*
Head Constable	*.....*	*32 do*
Constables (including Lance Head Constable		*25 "*

Provided that in the case of Government servants they will draw, when called out for periodical training, their civil pay as defined in the Fundamental Rules plus Special Police Reserve Pay and when called out for other duties their civil pay referred to above or the Special Police Reserve Pay, whichever is greater and they will be treated as on duty when absent in either case from their own officers.

14. The Travelling Allowance admissible will be at the same rates as in the case of the ordinary Police.

15. In regard to the above rules, it is agin emphasised that no expenditure must be incurred until funds have been duly authorised for the purpose. It is understood that funds will be allotted at a very early date.

Confidential.

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D.O.No.F.138/1940/(W).

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.
5th July 1940.

CIVIC GUARD.

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My dear Sir Mirza

Many thanks for your demi-official letter No.9349, dated the 25th June 1940. I should be grateful if you would kindly arrange to let me have details about the size, organisation, etc., of the Civic Guard when it is raised.

Yours sincerely
Lewis

Chief Sec
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Amin-ul-mulk Sir Mirza M.Ismail, K.C.I.E., O.B.E.,
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BANGALORE

D.O. No. C.C.1/40-41.

July 24, 1940.

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

CB.
1/2/17 Subject: Enrolment of Civic Guards.

My dear Kesavamurthi,

In continuation of my D.O. letter No.C.C.1/40-41 dated 2-7-40 and enclosure, I now send a précis of the suggestions received from Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

It will be seen that the chief points requiring decision are the following:-

(1) Whether enrolment should be under the Police Regulation or some other Regulation specially introduced for the purpose?

(2) The number of Civic Guards to be enrolled in each district.

(3) Whether Government servants still in service shall be eligible for enrolment or only those who have retired from service?

(4) The age limits to be fixed for (a) officers of the Civic Guard and (b) Civic Guards.

(5) The nature of the uniform to be worn by Civic Guards and whether provided by the Government or by the Civic Guard himself?

(6) Scope of training to be given to Civic Guards.

(7) Amount of subsistence or other allowance to be given for periods of (a) training (b) regular duty.

My own views on the above points are as follows:-

(1) It is desirable to minimise Police control over Civic Guards as far as possible and to emphasise their subordination to the Deputy Commissioner rather than to the Superintendent of Police. In every case Civic Guards should be handled by their own officers who would receive instructions from the Deputy Commissioner as to the Police Officer or Officers authorised to call on them for their services, i.e. the liaison should be between the Police Officer so designated and the Officer of the Civic Guard and not with the Civic Guards themselves.

If it is practicable to enrol Civic Guards under a special Regulation rather than under the Police Regulation, so much the better.

(2) I consider that, for a start, it would be well to limit the number to 50% of the regular Police allocation at the District Headquarters or Sub-divisional headquarters, as the case may be.

(3) Generally speaking, Government servants will have their hands full in time of emergency, looking after their own jobs. It would be better to confine enrolment as Officers of the Civic Guard to such Government servants as have retired. If there are Schoolmasters in charge of Scout organisations there is no reason why they and their Scouts should not be used by the Deputy Commissioner quite independently of the Civic Guards.

(4) There is no need to fix an upper age limit for Officers of the Civic Guard provided they are sufficiently active. This may be left to the discretion of Deputy Commissioners, but there should be a lower limit of 25. Civic Guards, on the other hand, might be between the ages of 20 and 45.

(5) Brassards would be provided by the Government but any other uniform should be provided by the Civic Guards themselves, as in the case of Boy Scouts. The uniform might consist of Khaki shirt, shorts and stockings.

(6) Training should be confined to marching and short lathi drill and instruction in simple Police procedure, based on the Constable's Catechism.

(7) No allowance should be given for the period of training, which will be limited to two hours a day on two or three days a week for the first month and thereafter to one hour a week. When Civic Guards are called out for duty, a duty allowance not exceeding annas eight per day might be granted at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner. If the duty is at a distance from headquarters, the Police should make arrangements for conveyance and accommodation.

The above may kindly be read with the enclosure to my D.O. letter No.C.C.1/40-41 dated 2-7-1940, the suggestions in which might stand where they do not conflict with the views expressed above.

Yours sincerely,

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

No. 1535-45/C.B.
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To

The District Magistrates of Districts.

Sir,

Subject:- Enrolment of Civic Guards in the Mysore State.

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In continuation of this office memo No. 5682-90 dated 27th June 1940 on the above subject, I am directed to inform you that, after a careful consideration of the subject and the proposals sent by the Inspector General of Police in this connection, Government are of opinion that action may be taken to constitute Civic Guards in the several districts of the State on the following lines:-

1. The enrolment of Civic Guards may, ~~to start with,~~ be taken up in the first instance at all District Headquarters and Police Sub Divisional Headquarters the number to be enrolled being limited to 50% of the regular police allocation of the centres referred to. For the present the enrolment may be made by the District Magistrate, in consultation with the District Superintendent of Police, the latter being appointed as District Commander of the Civic Guard organisation for the

district.

2. Government servants as such need not be precluded from enlisting as Civic Guards although Government servants whose time will be fully occupied in times of emergency would find it difficult to enlist. The question of employing retired Government servants as Group Commanders may be favourably considered as they cannot obviously enlist as Guards in view of the age limits to be prescribed. The services of School Masters in charge of Scout organisations would be helpful in this connection.

3. In view of what is stated above, it is unnecessary to fix an upper age-limit for officers of the Civic Guard provided they are sufficiently active and ~~subject to~~ the lower age-limit ~~of~~ for Officers will be 25 years. Civic Guards on the other hand might be between the ages of 20 and 45.

4. As regards a distinctive badge for the Guard, brassards will be provided by the Government, but any other uniform should be provided by the Civic Guards

themselves as in the case of Boy Scouts but such uniform will have to be the same throughout the State and approved by Government.

5. Training may be confined to marching and short lathi drill and the instruction in simple police procedure based on the constable's catechism.

6. It is not considered necessary to give any allowance for the period of training which may be limited to two hours a day on two or three days a week for the first month and thereafter to one hour a week. When Civic Guards are called out for duty, a duty allowance not exceeding annas eight per day might be granted at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioners. If the duty is at a distance from Headquarters, the police should make arrangements for conveyance and accommodation.

The question whether enrolment should be under the Police Regulation or ~~some other~~ under a special Regulation specially introduced for the purpose, is being separately considered by

Government and as soon as a decision is reached the same will be intimated to you.

I am to request that preliminary action on the above lines may kindly be taken and if any doubt or difficulty is experienced in the ~~matter~~ actual working of the Scheme, a reference may be made to Government.

I have etc.,

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Chief Secy. to Govt.

No. 1546/CB dt 30.9.44

1. The S.P. of police.

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C. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

BANGALORE
October 3, 1940.

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My dear Kesavaiengar

As desired, I enclose a copy of a notice issued by the Commissioner of Police, Civil & Military Station, regarding Civic Guards.

Yours sincerely
C. B. Peel

Subd.
The Dt Magts may be requested to issue similar notices. A suitable draft notice will be put up.
MK 3/10
(By Member)

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

This may be done
(But we have no resources as yet)
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Civil & Military Station, Bangalore.
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C I V I C G U A R D.

1. The purpose of the Civic Guard is to provide a Police Reserve for use in times of emergency. It will not be armed with fire-arms, but will be trained in the use of the short lathi.

2. To attain this purpose, the Civic Guard will be trained in simple Police law, procedure, duties and powers, fire fighting, first aid, traffic control, and A.R.P. work.

3. Men above the age of 25, of any community, who are not Government servants, and who can produce a medical certificate of fitness for ordinary police duties, granted by any officer in Government or Municipal Service, are eligible for service in the Civic Guard. Candidates must be capable of doing 4 hours beat or patrol or traffic duty at a stretch, and a quarter of an hour's lathi exercises, and must have good eyesight (with the help of glasses if necessary). Form of medical certificate should be obtained from the Commissioner of Police. For the present, only those who are literate in English will be accepted; and those liable to be conscripted for civilian employment will not be accepted.

4. Members of the Civic Guard will be enrolled under the Civic Guard Ordnance, 1940, as applied to the Civil & Military Station, Bangalore.
This means that they will be liable for service when called upon and will be subject to the rules framed under the Ordnance, and to penalties for default of service, just as any other Government Servant would be.
Whilst this liability must be fully understood, it is, at the same time, proposed to arrange for training periods to fit in with the reasonable convenience of members, so far as this is possible.
Candidates must therefore ensure that their employers are prepared to co-operate and give them the necessary facilities for training and service. If any difficulty is experienced in obtaining the consent of employers, the candidate should consult the Commissioner of Police.

5. Conditions of service are as follows:-
Every member of the Civic Guard will be required to undertake to give the following voluntary and unpaid service:-
for the first 3 months after enrolment -- one hour on 2 days per week;
thereafter - one hour at least per week, and one full day and one full night per month.
The Civic Guard will be mobilised (called out) for intensive training for one week in every six months.
Each member of the Civic Guard will be eligible for a subsistence allowance of Re.1/- per day during the half-yearly period of mobilisation above referred to and when called out for active duty.
It is proposed to ask each member of the Civic Guard to provide himself at his own cost, with grey shirt and trousers or shorts, and a plain brown leather belt of approved pattern. Cost will be kept to the minimum possible, and this uniform will not be insisted on at present.
Brassards and short lathies will be provided.

6. Sections of the Civic Guard will be organised on a Regional basis so that members may get their training at centres reasonably near their residences.

7. Applications for enrolment in the Civic Guard must be made to the Commissioner of Police, Civil & Military Station, Bangalore.

Bangalore,
26th Sept. 1940.

Sd/- J.M. GALLEN,
COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

M. K. Jeloan
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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER OF POLICE.

CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION, BANGALORE.

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(Sd.) J.M. Green.
Commissioner of Police.

Bangalore,
26th Sept. 1940.

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No A5C 2522/39-40
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District,
Dated, Kolar, the 6th Oct 40.

From

G. Sundara Rao, Esq, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, Kolar.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esquire, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

CHIEF SECY. 9. OCT. 1940 GOVT. OF MYSORE.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith for favour of perusal a copy of the proceedings of a meeting of the Kolar District War Committee held in the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Hall, Kolar on 5-10-1940 at 5 P.M. and to invite special reference to the proceedings of the Recruitment Sub Committee. For the reasons explained therein, the committee felt strongly that it was necessary to provide some lunch to the volunteers during the period of their training as Civic Guards and I solicit orders of Government on this point. The action taken in regard to the other resolutions of the war committee will be reported to Government in due course. A copy of the statement of collections in this District referred to in the proceedings of the Finance sub committee is also enclosed for favour of reference.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

G. Sundara Rao 6/10/40.

Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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KOLAR DISTRICT WAR COMMITTEE.

Proceedings of the Meeting held on 5th October 1940 at 5 P.M. in the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Hall, Kolar.

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Members present.

1. Mr. G.Sundara Rao, Deputy Commissioner, Kolar (in the chair).
2. Mr. J.B.Mallarahya, Secretary.
3. " K.Srinivasan.
4. " N.Puttarangaswamy.
5. " H.Srinivasa Iyengar.
6. " B.M.Abu Baker.
7. " Syed Ghouse Mohidin.
8. " L.Vema Reddy,
9. " A.S.Aiyappa.
10. " D.Venkatesiah.
11. " G.Girimaji Rao.
12. " B.Purna Singh.
13. Dr. A Corporan.
14. Miss. Saunby.
15. Mr. O.V.Rajagopal.
16. " J.T.Gopalakrishnan.
17. " K.V.Subrahmanyam.
18. " H.S.Madhava Rao.
19. " M.Venkatakrishnappa.

Members Absent.

1. Mr. C.R.Iyengar.
2. " K.Duraiswamy Iyer.
3. Dr. B.K. Rama Prasad.
4. Najm-ut-tujjar Hajee Mohamed Mustafa Sahib.
5. Mr. V.R.Chickchannanjappa Setty.
6. Dr. S.Rama Iyer.
7. Mr. S.V.Krishnamurthy Rao.
8. Rev. G.Gershom.
9. Dr. C.Narayana Rao.
10. Dr. K.M.Huli Rao
11. Mr. C.P. Heins.
12. Mr. R.Bhavarilal.
13. Ponna Venkatesiah.
14. Mr. S.Ramappa.

I. Finance Sub Committee:- Subject: No. I:- To record the proceedings of the previous meeting held on 3-8-1940.

Resolution. Read and confirmed.

Subject. No.2. To review the progress so far made in the collection of subscriptions to the War Fund in this District. The Secretary placed before the Committee a statement showing the details of collections made in the several taluks in this District including the K.G.F. Sanitary Board and Mining Areas. The total collections amounted to Rs.51,277-9-10 out of which a sum of Rs. 28,756-10-0 represents the amount collected by the K.G.F. Mining Board and sent to the Madras Governor's War Fund. The Secretary also brought to the notice of the committee that the Secretary of the Mysore War Fund, Central Committee, Bangalore had been requested to include this amount also in the total collections of this District.

Resolution. After reviewing the collections in this District, which were considered to be fairly satisfactory, the President observed that it was possible to show even better progress in future. It was resolved to request the Amildars and other Officers entrusted with collection work to kindly make greater efforts and show better progress especially in the Taluks where the collections were less than a thousand rupees.

Resolved further that the Secretary, Mysore War Fund be requested to include the collections from the K.G.F. Mining Area in the total collections of the Kolar District. and that the Secretary of the K.G.F. Mining Board (Mr. W.R.Crocker) be again requested to kindly send monthly statements of collections in the Mining Area to the Kolar District War Committee as agreed to by them previously.

Resolved that necessary action be taken in the matter of requesting the Executive Engineer, President, District Board, Presidents of Municipalities, District Excise Officer, District Forest Officer, District Medical Officers of Kolar and Kolar Gold Fields, to use their influence with the contractors of their Departments to contribute liberally to the War Fund.

Any other subjects:- N i l.

II. Propaganda and Publicity Sub Committee. The proceedings of the previous meeting held on 3-8-1940 were read and recorded.

1. To consider the question of using the War pamphlets received from the Publicity Officer to Government and Secretary of the Central War Publicity Committee in carrying on the work in this District.

The Secretary explained that only a limited number of copies of the pamphlets in English was being received in the office, that kannada copies of the pamphlets which were being received in sufficient numbers

were being sent to the Amildars of all the taluks in the District for distribution among the public.

The President observed that English copies of the pamphlets were not of much use for our merchents and ryots.

Resolved that a reference may be made for the supply of a larger number of pamphlets in kannada for distribution among a larger section of the public.

Subject.No.2- To read letter No.WRF.983 dated 6-8-1940 from the Secretary, Mysore War Fund, conveying sanction of Central Committee to the utilization of Rs.100/- for propaganda work in this District.

Resolved that the sum of Rs.100/- was insufficient to carry on the work effectively as proposed at the previous meeting and that this may be reserved for the printing and publication of leaflets to contradict false rumours which create unnecessary alarm and scare among the ignorant public in regard to the progress of the war and the position of the Allies and for such other purpose as may be decided upon by the President of the District Committee.

3. Any other subjects suggested by the Members. Nil.

III. Recruitment Sub Committee. The Proceedings of the previous meeting held on 3-8-1940 were read and recorded

Subject No.1. To read letter No. 1537-45/CB dated 30-9-1940 from the Chief Secretary to Government to the District Magistrate and Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, regarding the enrolment of Civil Guards.

Mr. H.Srinivasa Iyengar, District Superintendent of Police, Kolar, stated that 36 Civic Guards would be required for the Kolar District Head quarters, calculated at 50% of the actual police force. Mr.N. Puttarangaswamy, Special Superintendent of Police, K.G.F., was of the opinion that the area comprised under his jurisdiction was a special area and doubted whether it was necessary to constitute a Civic Guard exclusively for that Area. The President observed that the Area was a Special Police District and that the organisation of a force of Civic Guards was necessary. In this view, the number of Civic Guards required for the Area calculated on the same basis as that for Kolar would be 100.

Resolved that 36 Civic Guards for Kolar and 100 for the K.G.F., Area be enrolled, the District Superintendent of Police, Kolar and the Special Superintendent of Police, K.G.F., being appointed as Recruiting Officers and District Commanders' of this organizarion in their respective Jurisdiction.

As regards the method of recruitment, it was resolved that the District Superintendent of Police, Kolar and the Special Superintendent of Police, K.G.F., be requested to maintain an Enlistment Register for registering applications from persons desirous of serving as Civic Guards, the actual enrolment being subject to approval by the Deputy Commissioner and President of the Committee.

Resolved further that an appeal be issued both in English and Kannada inviting applications from persons desirous of enrolling themselves as Civic Guards, the applications being addressed to the Secretary of the District War Committee within a specified time.

In regard to the supply of uniforms to these Civic Guards, the President observed that the services of these Civic Guards being of a voluntary nature, it was desirable that they should provide themselves with as smart and decent a uniform as possible. It was resolved that the marginally noted uniform suggested at a previous meeting of the committee be prescribed for this District, the Civic guards being required to provide themselves with a pair of uniforms each, at their own cost as desired by Government and that Government be requested to supply 136 brassards for the use of the Civic Guards in this District. The President observed that the idea should be to make the service in this organization as attractive as possible so that young and able-bodied men of respectability and social status may be induced to join the organization on a proposition moved by Mr.O.V.Rajagopal, Member from Kolar Gold Fields Area, general sense of the house was, that arrangements should be made to provide lunch to the Civic Guards during the period of traning. The cost invloved was negligible and such an arrangement was in vogue even ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ in voluntary military organisations and it was resolved therefore that this question may again be pressed on the attention of Government.

1.Khaki Shirt.
2.Khaki Shorts.
3.Khaki stockings.
4.Forage cape.
5.Shoes.
6.Lathi.

Resolved further that cross-belts of the type provided to Police Inspectors be allowed to be used for each of the Group Commanders of the Civic Guards.

. Other subjects proposed by the Members:- N i l.

With a vote of thanks to the Chair proposed by Mr.O.V.Rajagopal, the meeting terminated.

Sd/- J.B.MALLARADHYA.
SECRETARY.

Sd/- G.SUNDARA RAO.
PRESIDENT,
KOLAR DISTRICT WAR COMMITTEE.

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J.B.Mallaradhya

SECRETARY.

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The Mysore War Fund.

Statement showing contributions received from Kolar District.

Sl No.	Name.		Amount.
1.	Mining Board K.G.F.		Rs 5000-0-0.
2.	Sanitary Board K.G.F.		1000-0-0.
3.	K.G.F. Area.		1048-0-7.
4.	District Board Kolar.		1000-0-0.
5.	Credits in District Treasury and Mysore Bank.		737-0-2.
6.	Chikballapur	up to 21-8-1940.	2582-14-0.
7.	Mulbagal.	16-9-1940.	2255-12-3.
8.	Goribidnur.	30-9-1940.	1983-4-0.
9.	Chintamani.	21-9-1940.	1924-10-6.
10.	Srinivasapur.	--do--	1101-1-6.
11.	Kolar	--do--	995-4-0.
12.	Bowringpet.	13-9-1940.	991-5-3.
13.	Bagepalli.	30-9-1940.	630-0-0.
14.	Gudibanda.	31-8-1940.	585-15-3.
15.	Sidlaghatta.	28-9-1940.	388-5-6.
16.	Malur.	20-9-1940.	297-6-10.
		Total	22520-15-10.
17.	Collections of Mining Board Sent to Madras direct.		28756-10-0.
	Total collections.		51277-9-10.

Secretary,
Kolar District war Committee.

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No.A5.Ø. TC.51 /40-41.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.
Dated, Camp:Oorgaum the 16th October 1940.

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Dear Sir,

When I met the First Member of Council in Mysore on 9-10-1940, I represented to him the necessity of supplying uniforms to the Civic Guards as recommended by me already. He was pleased to say that I might officially write to you about it. I think that unless the scheme which is being introduced for the first time is made attractive in the manner suggested by me, it would be difficult to get the right sort of people to join in the movement. The total number of Uniforms required will be 72 for Kolar and 180 for the Kolar Gold Fields Area.

Yours sincerely,

R Sundaram

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of
H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.

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Immediate.
No: A.5.C.2522/39-40.
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District,
Dated, Kolar, the 7th November 1940.

From

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District,
Kolar.

Rajasevaprasakta B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honour to forward, herewith, for favour of perusal, a copy of the Proceedings of the Meeting of the Kolar District War Committee held in the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Hall, Kolar, on 2nd November 1940 at 5 P.M., and to invite special reference to the Proceedings of the Recruitment Sub Committee. For the reasons explained therein, the Committee again felt strongly that it was necessary to provide the volunteers with decent uniforms at the cost of Government and I solicit Orders of Government on this point. The action taken in regard to the other resolutions of the War Committee will be reported to Government in due course. A copy of the statement of collections in this District referred to in the proceedings of the Finance Sub Committee is also enclosed for favour of reference.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Senior Asst. Commissioner
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.
(Absent from Station)..

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KOLAR DISTRICT WAR COMMITTEE.

Proceedings of the Meeting held on 2nd November 1940 at 5 P.M., in the Sri Krishnarajendra Silver Jubilee Hall, Kolar.

MEMBERS PRESENT.

1. Mr. G.Sundara Rao, Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, (in the Chair),
2. " J.B.Mallaradhya (Secretary).
3. " K.Duraiswamy Iyer,
4. " K.Srinivasan,
5. " N.Puttarangaswamy,
6. " L. Vema Reddy,
7. " B.M.Abu Baker,
8. " A.S.Aiyappa,
9. " D.Venkatesaiah,
10. " T.N.Mallappa,
11. " G. Purnasingh,
12. " H.S. Madhava Rao,
13. Mr.O.V.Rajagopal,
14. " J.T.Gopalakrishnan,
15. " Najm-ut-Tujjar Hajee Mohamed Musthafa Saheb,
16. " V.R.Chickachannanjappa Setty,
17. " Ponna C.Venkatesaiah,
18. "S.V.Krishnamoorthy Rao,
19. " M.Venkatakrishnappa,
20. " K.V.Subrahmanyam,
21. Dr. K.M. Huli Rao,
22. Mr. Abdul Latiff.

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MEMBERS ABSENT.

1. Mr. C.R. Iyengar,
2. Dr. B.K. Rama Prasad,
3. Dr. S. Rama Iyer,
4. Rev. G. Gersham,
5. Mr. G. Girimaji Rao,
6. Dr. C. Narayana Rao,
7. Rev. C.P. Heins,
8. Mr. R. Bhavarilal,
9. " S. Ramappa,
10. Dr. A. Corporan,
11. Miss. Saunby.

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Dr. B.K.Rama Prasad, Superintendent, Power and Lighting, K.G.F., wrote expressing his inability to attend the meeting on account of urgent Departmental work.

I. Finance Sub Committee:-

Subject No: I:- To record the proceedings of the previous meeting held on 5th October 1940.

Resolution:- Read and confirmed.

Subject No:2:- To review the progress so far made in the collection of subscriptions to the War Fund in this District.

The Secretary placed before the Committee a statement showing the details of collections made in the several Taluks in the District including the K.G.F., Sanitary Board and Mining Areas. The total collections amounted to Rs.56,063-0-10 out of which a sum of Rs.32,094-10-0 represented the amount collected by the K.G.F., Mining Board and sent to the Madras - - Governor's War Fund and to the Chancellor of Exchequer, England. The Secretary of the Central Committee of the Mysore War Fund, had been requested to include this amount also in the total collections of this District.

After reviewing the collections in this District which were considered to be fairly satisfactory, the President observed that it was possible to ~~xx~~ show even better progress in future.

Resolutions (i) It was resolved to request the Amildars and other Officers entrusted with collection work to make greater efforts and show better progress especially in the Taluks where the collections were less than Rs.2,000/-.

(ii) Contributions by Contractors:- Resolved further that the Executive Engineer, President, District Board, Presidents of Municipalities, District Excise Officer, District Forest Officer and the District Medical Officers of Kolar and K.G.F., be again requested to use their good offices in persuading the contractors of their respective Departments to contribute liberally to the War Fund.

(iii) Contributions by Village Panchayets:- The President observed that the total number of Panchayets in the District being 1351 it was possible to collect at least Rs.10,000/- from them. Resolved that the matter be pressed on the attention of the Amildars with a request to persuade each Panchayet to contribute at least Rs.5/- to the War Fund.

(iv) Contributions from Proprietors of Bus Services and Cinema ~~xxxx~~ theatres including touring cinema companies.- It was observed that the progress achieved in this direction was not adequate.

Resolved that the Proprietors of all the Bus Services and Cinema Companies in the District be sent for and asked to ~~x~~ contribute an allotted easy sum every month regularly, the amount being fixed with due regard to the resources and capacity of each individual and that the President and Secretary may take necessary action in this behalf.

3. Any other subjects suggested by the members:- NIL.

II. Propaganda and Publicity Sub Committee:-

(1) The proceedings of the previous meeting held on 5th October 1940 were

were read and recorded.

(2) To consider the question of using the War pamphlets received from the Publicity Officer to Government and Secretary of the Central War Publicity Committee in carrying on Propaganda work in this District.

The Secretary explained that action was being taken to distribute the pamphlets among the several Village Panchayets in the District through the respective Amildars. It was considered that no resolution was necessary on the subject.

Mr. B.M. Abu Baker suggested that flags costing about two annas each may be got from the Central Committee of the War Fund, Bangalore, for sale in this District.

The President observed that it was difficult to keep proper accounts for receipts and sale, etc., and that it was, therefore, not practicable. Instead, he suggested that the public may be persuaded to purchase the stamps issued from the Post Offices.

(3) Any other subjects:- NIL.

III. Recruitment Sub Committee:-

(1) The Proceedings of the previous Meeting held on 5th October 1940 were read and recorded.

(2) To read and record the appeal regarding the enlistment of "Civic Guards" in the Kolar District.

Mr. J.T. Gopalakrishnan wanted to know whether the Civic Guards had to provide themselves with the prescribed uniforms at their own cost.

The President observed that they had to do so as at present ordered by Government though the general sense of the Committee was that the organisation consisting, as it should, of men of respectability and social status and being of a voluntary nature, it was but fair that the Government should bear the cost of the uniforms.

Mr. O.V. Rajagopal suggested the lowering of the educational qualification now required of the Volunteers viz., a pass in the Mysore Middle School Examination or any other equivalent Examination, so that men who did not possess this qualification but who were anxious to join the organisation may have an opportunity of doing so. He brought to the notice of the Committee that insistence on this educational qualification would be a bar for enlisting many a young man in the K.G.F., Area.

It was resolved that instead of a pass course in the Mysore Middle School or any other equivalent Examination would be sufficient. The President observed in regard to enlistment, generally, exemptions will, however, be considered in deserving cases.

Mr. N. Puttarangaswamy suggested that the applications may be sent to the District Superintendents of Police, instead of to the Secretary as now prescribed and that the clause requiring every application to be accompanied by a certificate from a Gazetted Officer or a Municipal Councillo as to the applicant's general character and antecedents be deleted. This was agreed to by the Committee.

The appeal and the application form were approved with slight modification in the form and it was resolved that action be taken to give wide publicity to the appeal and enlist volunteers before 15th November 1940 if possible.

(3) Any other subjects:- NIL.

With a vote of thanks to the Chair proposed by Mr. O.V. Rajagopal, the meeting terminated.

Sd/- J.B. Mallaradhya,
Secretary,
Kolar District War Committee.

Sd/- G. Sundara Rao,
President,
Kolar District War Committee.

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J. Bma Mallaradhya
Secretary,
Kolar District War Committee.

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A5C 2522/39-40 Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Enc Three. Kolar District,
Dated, Kolar, the 8th Nov: 1940.

From

G.Sundara Rao, Esquire, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District, Kolar.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq, B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of
Mysore, Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to send herein enclosed for favour of perusal a copy of the appeal in English and Kannada together with an application form issued in connection with the enlistment of Civic Guards in the Kolar District including the Kolar Gold Fields area.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Senior Asst: Commissioner
For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.
(absent from Head-Qrs)

MR. J. B. MALLARADHYA, M.A.,
SECRETARY.

Office of the Secretary,
Kolar District War Committee,
Dated, Kolar, 1st November 1940.

No. A5. C. 2522/39-40

APPEAL.

1. It is proposed, as an emergency measure for the duration of the War, to constitute "Civic Guards" for the Kolar District and the Kolar Gold Fields area. Recruitment will be on a voluntary basis and the nature of duties that may be entrusted to the "Civic Guards" is indicated below:

The Civic Guards are expected to render service in connection with the maintenance of public order, anti-sabotage measures and several other aspects of internal defence. They are to assist the regular Police forces in the District in emergencies and in case of local disorder or panic. They may be posted for duty at fairs and festivals, for patrolling the town by day or by night, for collecting information about "Fifth Column" activities and pro-enemy propaganda. In case of need, they will be posted for duty in connection with Air Raid Precautions and for assisting in local efforts regarding War Publicity and Propaganda organised by the District War Committee. They will not ordinarilly be called out for duty beyond the local limits of their respective towns or the District.

2. Recruitment of volunteers as "Civic Guards" will be subject to selection by the Special Sub-Committee constituted for the purpose. 36 Civic Guards are required for the Kolar District area and 100 for the Kolar Gold Fields area.

3. On selection, each volunteer has to provide himself with a pair of uniforms of an approved pattern, (the cost of each pair being approximately Rs. 12) and be prepared to undergo the requisite training for 2 hours a day on two or three days in the week for the first month, and thereafter for one hour per week. No allowance will be paid during the period of training. The question of giving some duty allowance when the "Civic Guards" are called out for duty after the period of training will be considered as and when necassity arises.

4. Gentlemen who are desirous of joining the "Civic Guards" may send their applications in the form prescribed (hereto appended and to be had from this office) to the respective District Superintendents of Police on or before the 30th November 1940. Those between the age of 20 and 45, with a good physique and with the minimum educational qualification, viz., a course in the Mysore Middle School or any other equivalent course only need apply. Exemptions will, however, be considered.

5. Government servants, as such, are not precluded from enlisting as Civic Guards. The services of School Masters and Scouters in charge of Scout Organisations are specially required for appointment as Group Commanders of Civic Guards.

6. It is earnestly hoped that in response to this appeal, may citizens of Kolar District would be ready to offer their loyal services and thereby supplement the War Effort now being made by the Kolar District War Committee.

J. B. MALLARADHYA,
Secretary,
Kolar District War Committee.

Sri Gopinatha Press, Kolar

KOLAR DISTRICT WAR COMMITTEE.

Form of Application for enlistment as Civic Guards.

(To be completed in Applicant's own handwriting)

1. Name of applicant in full (Block letters)	
2. Address of applicant	
3. Exact date and place of birth of applicant	
4. Whether a British subject or subject of H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore	
5. Religion	
6. Father's name	
7. Father's occupation and address	
8. Whether the applicant or his father pays land revenue or income-tax to Government. If so, state amount	
9. Has the applicant had any relatives who served in a military capacity? If so, give particulars	
10. Educational qualifications of applicant	
11. Whether the applicant played any games in his School or College? If so, give particulars	
12. Information regarding previous military training. (a) whether the applicant has served in any category of University Training Corps. If so, give particulars. (b) whether the applicant has served in any Territorial Unit? If so, give unit and period of service. (c) has the applicant any other military service or training? If so, give particulars	
13. Linguistic qualifications, (Oriental and European) of applicant with degree of proficiency in each	
14. (a) Height of the applicant (without boots & shoes)	Feet Inches
(b) What is the chest measurement?	(i) Expand inches
	(ii) Normal inches
(c) What is the weight?	Lbs. on Date

I hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above information is correct and that I wish to enlist myself as a Civic Guard in the Kolar District Civic Guards Organization. I further declare that I will serve in the said Organisation and will be prepared to subject myself to discipline that may be enforced from time to time so long as my services are required or until my resignation is accepted and that I am prepared to serve in any post to which I may be appointed.

Signature of Applicant.

Date .....

Place .....

N. B.—Application forms may be obtained from this office, from the District Superintendent of Police, Kolar or K.G.F.

J. B. MALLARADHYA,
Secretary, Kolar District War Committee.

ಶ್ರೀ॥ ಜೆ. ಬಿ. ಮಲ್ಲಾರಾಧ್ಯರು, ಎಂ.ಎ.,
ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ.

ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿ,
ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಯುದ್ಧ ಸಮಿತಿ,
ಕೋಲಾರ, 1-11-1940

ನಂ. ಎ5. ಸಿ. 2522/39-40.

ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನಾ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ.

1. ಪ್ರಕೃತ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ಯುದ್ಧ ಪರ್ಯಂತ ಕೈಗಾವಲಾಗಿರುವಂತೆ ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕೋಲಾರದ ಚಿನ್ನದ ಗಣಿಗಳ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್ (Civic Guards) ಗಳನ್ನೇರ್ಪಡಿಸಲು ಉದ್ದೇಶಿಸಿದೆ. ಸ್ವಸಂತೋಷದಿಂದ ಬರತಕ್ಕವರನ್ನು ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಉಮೇದುವಾರರನ್ನಾಗಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗುವುದು. ಈ "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಸಲಾಗುವ ಕೆಲಸಕಾರ್ಯಗಳು ಈ ಮುಂದೆ ಕಾಣಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿವೆ. "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳು ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಶಿಸ್ತು, ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಯಂತ್ರಾಲಯಗಳ ಉಸ್ತುವಾರಿ ಮತ್ತು ದೇಶದ ಹಿತದೃಷ್ಟಿಯಿಂದ ಅವಶ್ಯಕವೆನಿಸುವ ಇತರ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣೆಯ ಕೆಲಸಗಳಿಗೆ ಒದಗುವರೆಂದು ನಿರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿದೆ. ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆ ಒದಗಿದಾಗ ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ಥಳೀಯ ಅಶಾಂತಿ ಮತ್ತು ದೊಂಬಿಗಳು ಪ್ರಾಪ್ತವಾದಾಗ ಇವರುಗಳು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಮಾಮೂಲು ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಶಿಬ್ಬಂದಿಗೆ ಸಹಾಯ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಾಗುವುದು. ಜಾತ್ರೆ ಪರಿಷೆಗಳ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಗೂ, ಹಗಲು ಅಥವ ರಾತ್ರಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಊರುಗಸ್ತು ತಿರುಗುವುದಕ್ಕೂ, ಶತ್ರುಪಕ್ಷದ ಗೂಢಚಾರರು (Fifth Column Activities) ಗಳ ಚಲನವಲನಗಳ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಗೋಪ್ಯವಾದ ಸಮಾಚಾರವನ್ನು ಶೇಖರಿಸುವುದಕ್ಕೂ, ಶತ್ರು ಸಹಾಯಕ ಪ್ರಚಾರವನ್ನು ಪತ್ತೆಹಚ್ಚುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಇವರುಗಳನ್ನು ನಿಯಮಿಸಬೇಕಾಗಬಹುದು. ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆಯೊದಗಿದರೆ ವಿಮಾನ ಧಾಳಿಯಿಂದ ಪಾರಾಗುವ ಮುಂಜಾಗ್ರತೆ ಕ್ರಮವನ್ನು ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾದ ಕೆಲಸಗಳಿಗೂ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಯುದ್ಧಸಮಿತಿಯು ಏರ್ಪಡಿಸುವ ಯುದ್ಧಪರ ಪ್ರಚಾರ ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಕಟಣಾ ಕಾರ್ಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಸಹಾಯಕರಾಗುವುದಕ್ಕೂ ಇವರುಗಳು ನಿಯಮಿಸಲ್ಪಡಬಹುದು. ಸಾಧಾರಣವಾಗಿ ಇವರುಗಳನ್ನು ತಮ್ಮ ತಮ್ಮ ಊರುಗಳ ಅಥವ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಹೊರಗೆ ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡಲು ನಿಯಮಿಸಲಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ.

2. ತಾವಾಗಿಯೇ ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್‌ಗಳಾಗಲು ಮುಂದೆ ಬರುವವರನ್ನು ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿಯೇ ಏರ್ಪಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಒಂದು ವಿಶೇಷ ಉಪಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಚುನಾಯಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ವಿಭಾಗಕ್ಕೆ 36, ಮತ್ತು ಕೋಲಾರ ಚಿನ್ನದಗಣಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶಕ್ಕೆ 100 ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್‌ಗಳು ಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ.

3. ಚುನಾಯಿತನಾದ ಪ್ರತಿ ಸ್ವಯಂ ಸೇವಕನೂ (ಉಮೇದುವಾರನೂ) ವಿಧಿಸಲ್ಪಡುವ ತರಹೆಯ (ಪ್ರತಿ ಜೊತೆಗೂ ಸುಮಾರು 12 ರೂ ಬೆಲೆಯಾಗುವ) ಎರಡು ಜೊತೆ ಸಮವಸ್ತ್ರ (Uniform) ಒದಗಿಸಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಲ್ಲದೆ, ಮೊದಲನೆಯ ತಿಂಗಳು ದಿನವೊಂದಕ್ಕೆ ಎರಡು ಘಂಟೆಗಳಂತೆ ವಾರಕ್ಕೆ 2 ಅಥವ 3 ದಿನಗಳೂ, ಆ ಮೇಲೆ ವಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಒಂದು ಘಂಟೆಯಂತೆಯೂ ಆವಶ್ಯಕವಾದ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ (ತರಬೇತು) ಪಡೆಯಲು ಸಿದ್ಧನಾಗಿರಬೇಕು. ತರಬಿಯತ್ತಿನ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ಪ್ರತಿಫಲ ಧನವನ್ನೂ ಕೊಡಲಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ತರಬಿಯತ್ತಾದ ಬಳಿಕ "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ತವ್ಯನಿರ್ವಹಣೆಗೆಂದು ನೇಮಿಸಿದಾಗ ಸ್ವಲ್ಪಮಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ಸಂಭಾವನೆ ಕೊಡುವ ಅಂಶವನ್ನು ಅವಶ್ಯಕತೆ ಬಂದಂತೆ ಅಥವ ಆಯಾ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

4. ಈ "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳಾಗಿ ಸೇರುವ ಆಭಿಲಾಷೆಯುಳ್ಳ ಸಭ್ಯರು 1940 ನೆಯ ನೊವೆಂಬರ್ 30 ನೇ ತಾರೀಖಿನ ಒಳಗಾಗಿ ತಮ್ಮ ಪ್ರದೇಶದ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಸೂಪರಿಂಟೆಂಡೆಂಟರುಗಳಿಗೆ (ಇದರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಗತ್ತಾಗಿರುವ, ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಅಥವಾ ಪೋಲೀಸ್ ಸೂಪರಿಂಟೆಂಡೆಂಟರುಗಳ ಕಛೇರಿಯಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾದಂಥ) ನಿರ್ದಿಷ್ಟ ದರಖಾಸ್ತು ನಮೂನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿಕೊಡಬಹುದು. 20 ರಿಂದ 45 ವರ್ಷದೊಳಗಿದ್ದು, ಒಳ್ಳೆಯ ಧೃಢಕಾಯರಾಗಿರುವ ಮತ್ತು ಕನಿಷ್ಟಪಕ್ಷ ಮೈಸೂರು ಮಿಡ್ಲ್ ಸ್ಕೂಲ್ ಪರೀಕ್ಷಾ ತರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯಾಸಂಗ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಅಥವ ಅದರ ಸಮಾನವಾದ ವಿದ್ಯಾಭ್ಯಾಸ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣವುಳ್ಳವರು ಮಾತ್ರ ಸೇರಲು ದರಖಾಸ್ತು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು. ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವಿನಾಯಿತಿಗಳನ್ನೂ ಸಹ ಪರ್ಯಾಲೋಚಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

5. ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ನೌಕರರಾದ ಮಾತ್ರವೇ "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳಾಗಿ ಸೇರಬಾರದು ಎಂಬ ನಿರ್ಬಂಧವೇನೂ ಇಲ್ಲ. "ಸಿವಿಕ್ ಗಾರ್ಡ್" ಗಳ ದಳಪತಿಗಳು (Group Commander) ಆಗಿರಲು, ಸ್ಕೂಲ್ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಾಯರುಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಗುಂಪುಗಳನ್ನು ನಡೆಯಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ಸ್ಕೌಟರ್‌ಗಳ ಸೇವೆಯು ವಿಶೇಷತಃ ಉಪಯೋಗಕರವಾಗಬಹುದೆಂಬ ಭರವಸೆ ಇದೆ.

6. ಈ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆಗೆ ಪ್ರತ್ಯುತ್ತರವಾಗಿ ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಅನೇಕ ಜನ ನಾಗರಿಕರು ತಮ್ಮ ರಾಜಭಕ್ತಿ ಪುರಸ್ಸರವಾದ ಸೇವೆಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು ಸಿದ್ಧರಾಗಿ ಬಂದು, ತನ್ಮೂಲಕ ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಯುದ್ಧಸಹಾಯ ಸಮಿತಿಯವರು ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುವ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವಿಶ್ವಾಸದಿಂದ ಸಹಕರಿಸುವರೆಂದೂ ನಿರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಜೆ. ಬಿ. ಮಲ್ಲಾರಾಧ್ಯ,
ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ,
ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಯುದ್ಧ ಸಮಿತಿ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಗೋಪೀನಾಥ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಕೋಲಾರ.

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Tel. Address –"DEPCOM"
Post Box No. 34.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
BANGALORE DISTRICT.

Dated Bangalore, the 18th Novr. 1940.

FROM

Abdul Aziz Khan, Esq., B.A.,
District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

SIR,

Subject:– Enrolment of Civic Guards.

I have the honour to invite reference to para 6 of your letter No.1537-45/C.B. dated 28/30-9-1940 on the above subject and to request you to kindly intimate very early if any decision has been arrived at on the question whether enrolment should be under the Police Act or under a special enactment. The City Superintendent of Police has already submitted a list showing the names of persons who are willing for enrolment as Civic Guards and the District Superintendent of Police is taking action to prepare one.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

AAKhan

District Magistrate,
Bangalore District.

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Office of the District Magistrate,
Hassan District,
Dated Hassan, the 18th November 1940.

No: JJ-300/40

From

T. Ramaiya, Esq., B.A., (Hons)

District Magistrate, Hassan District.

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Subject:- Enrolment of Civic Guards in the Mysore State.

Adverting to your letter No: 1537-45/C.B. dated 30th September 1940 on the above subject, I have the honor to state that it is reported by the District Superintendent of Police, Hassan that preliminary action for enrolment of Civic Guards on the lines contained in the above letter has been taken and that 3 Group Commanders and 34 Guards consisting mostly of Rover Scouts who have already undergone some training in drill and discipline have been selected. I request therefore that further orders of Government, if any, passed in the matter may kindly be communicated early in the matter of enrolment.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

for District Magistrate,
Hassan District.
(absent from Head-quarters)

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D. O. No. C.C.1/40-41.

Rajasevaprasakta
MR. A. V. RAMANATHAN, B.A.,
Offg. *Inspector-General of Police*
in Mysore.

BANGALORE,
November 9, 1940.

Urgent
C.B.
9/11

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the Mysore State.

Sir,

Kindly refer to your Memo No.1546/C.B. of the 30th September 1940 forwarding for information copy of your letter No.1537-45 C.B. dated 28/30th September 1940 addressed to the District Magistrates.

I am of opinion that it is advisable to supply with uniform the Civic Guards so as to attract suitable recruits and ensure uniformity of appearance. I would suggest therefore that each Civic Guard be supplied with two Khaki Shirts and two pairs of Khaki Shorts at Government cost in addition to the brassards.

The cost of two suits of uniform will be Rs.6/- and as the maximum number of Civic Guards in the State will not exceed 1,000, the cost to Government will be Rs.6,000/-. The cost of brassards will be roughly Rs.500/-.

There are also in stock about 600 short batons which are no longer used by the Police. I suggest that they may be issued to the Civic Guards in Cities when are called for service.

The provision of uniform in addition to being conducive to a sense of discipline will I feel form an inducement to persons to enrol themselves as Civic Guards. I therefore recommend that Government may be pleased to sanction the supply of two pairs of Khaki Shorts and two Shirts to each member of the Civic Guard, in addition to brassards, and the issue of batons.

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Yours sincerely,
A V Ramanathan

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

D. O. No. C.C.1/40-41. Encls 3 Samples of Grassards.

1560/C.B.

Rajasevaprasakta
MR. A. V. RAMANATHAN, B.A.,
Offg. *Inspector-General of Police*
in Mysore.

BANGALORE,
November 11, 1940.

C.B. 12/11

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the
Mysore State.

My dear Kesavaiengar,

In continuation of my letter No. C.C.1 of 40-41 dated the 9th November, I forward herewith three samples of brassards for the Civic Guard. The sample No.3 on blue drill costs Re.0-7-6 only and appears quite suitable and may be approved. It will be necessary to add a Ghandebherunda to the brassards to be used by officers of the Civic Guard and Group Commanders.

Yours sincerely,
A. V. Ramanathan

Cable 11.11

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

Appendix F G—1]

SUBJECT.....

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Diary No. of letter replied to.....

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The I G of Police.

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the State.

Sir, With reference to the correspondence ending with your D.O.No. C.C.1/40-41 dated 7th Nov. 40 on the above subject, I am directed to ~~say that Government~~ State to state that Govt. have approved of your proposal to ~~grant~~ supply of two pairs of Khaki Shorts and two shirts to each member of the Civic Guards at the cost of Govt. at a cost ~~of Rs 6/-~~ not exceeding Rs 6/- for the two suits as also the proposal to provide badges (~~brassard~~) and short batons also to the Civic Guards in cities where lathis are called for Service. ~~is also approved~~. The badge sample No 3 sent with your

above letter is also approved. It is noted that 600 short batons which are in stock and not used by the Police will be issued to the Civic Guards in Cities when are called for Service. ~~As the case~~ I am to add that Govt consider that the uniform may be worn while on duty or on parade and that only training mace ~~batons~~ batons ~~would~~ would do.

It is ~~hoped that~~ the Cost ~~of the above may be met out of~~ of about Rs 6500/- for the provision of uniform and batons ~~will~~ may be met out of savings in the Sanctioned grants of the Dept. But if this be not found possible ~~If~~ an additional grant for the minimum amount required may be applied for later on.

A ~~draft~~ copy of an Emergency Act (similar to the Govt of India Ordinance) proposed to be promulgated, is herein enclosed for your information.

A copy of this letter has also been sent to the D.Ms for information and they have been requested to prepare lists of ~~duplicate~~ eligible Candidates for enlistment and proceed with the work of enrolment quickly.

I have the
Hon'ble
Chief Secy to Govt

Copy to the D.Ms for information and necessary action

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25th Novr.1940 xxxx

The Inspector General of Police in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Enrolment of Civic Guards in the State.

With reference to the correspondence ending with your D.O.letter C.C.C.1/40-41 dated 11th November 1940 on the above subject, I am directed to state that Government have approved of your proposal to supply two pairs of khaki shorts and two shirts to each member of the Civic Guard at the cost of Government at a cost not exceeding Rs.6/- for the two suits, as also the proposal to provide badges and short batons to the Guards in cities when they are called for service. The badge sample No.3 sent with your above letter is also approved. It is noted that 600 short batons which are in stock and not used by the Police will be issued to the Civic Guards in cities when are called for service. I am to add that Government consider that the uniform may be worn while on duty or on parade and that during training mere badges would do.

The cost of about Rs.6,500/- for the provision of uniform and badges may be met out of savings in the sanctioned grants of the Department. But if this be not found possible an additional grant xx for the minimum amount required may be applied for later on.

A copy of an Emergency Act (similar to the Government of India Ordinance) proposed to be promulgated, is herein enclosed for your information.

P.T.O.

A copy of this letter has also been sent to the District Magistrates for information and they have been requested to prepare lists of candidates eligible for enlistment and proceed with the work of enrolment quickly.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Sd.) B.T. Kesavaiengar.

Chief Secretary to Government.

25/11/40.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the District Magistrates of Districts, for information and necessary action.

For Chief Secretary to Government.

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No.J.1.P.K.2.4/40-41.
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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
Kadur District,
Dated, Chikmagalur, 21st November, 1940.

From

Mahomed Ismail Sheriff, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

Rajasevaprasakta
S. T. Keshaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

Subject: Enrolments of Civic Guards at Kadur District, Head-Quarters.

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Adverting to your letter No. 1567-45/G.B. dated 29/30th September, 1940 issuing certain instructions in the matter of constituting Civic Guards in the District, I have the honour to state that action has been taken on the lines indicated therein and the names of persons, who are proposed to be appointed as Group Commanders, and enrolled as Civic Guards, by the District Superintendent of Police, are furnished in the lists enclosed. I request the favour of further instructions in the matter. On receipt of instructions, the District Superintendent of Police, Kadur District, will be instructed to take further necessary instructions, in accordance with letter No. C.C.(1)/40-41 dated 2-7-40 received from the Inspector General of Police, Bangalore, in the matter.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

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Statement showing the names of Group Commanders for Civic Guard duty.

Chikmagalur town.

Sl.No.	Name and father's name.	Address.	No.of the group.	place.
	Messrs.			
1.	Dr. Bhagath	Medical practitioner.	I	Basavanahalli.
2.	S. Annappa Setty s/o Subbanna Setty.	Coffee planter.	II	Main street.
3.	A.N. Murthy	Book Seller.	III	-do-
4.	S.A. Sorab	Contractor	IV	Jail road.
5.	Dasthagir Sab	Retired Police Daffedar.	V	-do-
6.	Abdul Rahiman	-do-	VI	Market road
7.	Channa Iyengar	Retired Police Inspector.	VII	Hiremagalur.
8.	G.V.K. Acharya	Electrical contractor.	VIII	Fort.
9.	Dr. Sundaram	Medical practitioner.	I	post office Square.

B K Srinivasa Rao
Superintendent of Police,
Kadur District.

Statement showing the names of persons selected for Civic Guard Duty, Chikmagalur town.

Sl. No.	Name and father's Name.	Address.	Place.
	Messrs.		
	I Group.		
1.	A.H. Seetharamiah s/o Hiriyanna.	Landholder and merchant.	Basavanahalli, Chikmagalur town.
2.	Mahomed Gaffar s/o Mohamed Ghouse.	Merchant	Porperpet.
3.	N.G. Narayana Setty s/o Gundappa Setty.	-do-	Market road.
4.	Sahebjan	Merchant	-do-
5.	Ibrahim Saheb.	Proprietor, Khaleel Motor service.	Tundri.
6.	Mohamed Gaffar s/o Mohamed Ghouse.	Merchant	Jail road.
	II Group.		
7.	M.Abtab Ahamed s/o Gaffar Sab	Cycle shopkeeper.	Ande Choultry.
8.	A S. Gaffar s/o Abdul Chukun	-do-	-do-
9.	B. Ramachandra Rao s/o Ambaji Rao	Tailor.	Tailor street.
10.	Ganeshmulji s/o Humtanalji	cloth merchant	Main street.
11.	V.M. Abdul Latheef	Cycle shop	-do-
12.	B.N. Baliga s/o B.S. Baliga	Merchant	-do-
	III Group.		
13.	D.C. Rudrappa s/o D. Veera Bhadrappa.	Merchant	Main street.
14.	Noor Ahmed Sait c/o Ali Sait	cloth merchant	-do-
15.	T.K. Ramiah Setty s/o T. Kalappa Setty.	-do-	-do-
16.	Kuttappa	Proprietor, Maruthi motor service.	jail road.
17.	Govinda Swami	Watch repairer	Main street.
18.	B.N. Boji Gowda	Proprietor, S.N. Motor Service.	Jail road.
	IV Group.		
19.	R.S. Tambi s/o Raman Tambi	Photographer	Main street.
20.	Janardhana s/o Kantappa	Tailor	-do-
21.	S.R. Suryanarayana Setty s/o Rangiah Setty.	General merchant	-do-

Sl.No.	Name and father's Name.	Address.	Place.
22.	K.P. Rangappa Setty	merchant	Main street.
23.	Abdul Azeez Sab s/o Abdul Karim Sab	Cap mart	-do-
24.	S. Rangappa Setty s/o Surappa Setty	General merchant	-do-
25.	**V Group.**		
	Suryanarayana Setty s/o Thippiah Setty	-do-	-do-
26.	Putte Gowda s/o Rame Gowda	Tailor	-do-
27.	S.K. Siddappa s/o S.K. Siddappa	merchant	-do-
28.	Bheemiah s/o Manjappa	& Coorg tailor	-do-
29.	Govinda Setty s/o Puttaswami Setty	Merchant & coffee planter.	-do-
30.	P.M. Seshachalam Naidu s/o Muniswami Naidu.	Agent, Maruthi Motor Company.	Jail Road.
	VI Group.		
31.	Channappa s/o E. Kappanna Chetty	Merchant	Main street.
32.	Ramachandra s/o Sreenivasa Rao	-do-	-do-
33.	Shamiah Naidu s/o Seshachalam Naidu	-do-	Naidu street.
34.	Abdul Khadar s/o Abdul Latheef	-do-	Main street.
35.	Govinda s/o Ramaswami	Landholder.	Naikerxxx- street
36.	Muniswami s/o Muniswamiah	Flower merchant	Main road.
	VII Group.		
37.	Channappa s/o Thimma Naik	Land holder.	Fort.
38.	Rama Raju s/o Putta Raju	-do-	-do-
39.	Rama Naik s/o Rathnaswami Naik	-do-	-do-
40.	Ganganna s/o Bora Naik	-do-	-do-
41.	Channanaik s/o Hanuma Naik	-do-	-do-
42.	Deveeriah s/o Rudraiah	-do-	-do-

B Rama Raju B.A.
Superintendent of Police,
Kadur District.
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Tel. Address :- Depcom.
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In reply, please refer to
No C1.C.3738/39-40.
Enclosures: 1-

Dist.Magistrate &
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT,

Dated, Chitaldrug ....2nd December...*19* 40

FROM

R. P. Mallappa, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
~~XXXX

CIVIC GUARDS.

Messrs:-

1. W.T.Hanumantha Rao, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Chitaldrug.
2. B.K. Ramachandra Rao, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Chitaldrug.
3. Radhakrishna Setty, Prop.S.K.P.Press, Chitaldrug.
4. R. Venkatarangan, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Chitaldrug.
5. T.B.Shama Rao, Municipal Councillor, Chitaldrug.
6. S. Srinivasan, B.Sc. (Hons).
7. M. Anantha Setty, Land Lord, Chitaldrug.
8. T.S.Praneshachar, Jodidar, Chitaldrug.
9. B.V.Padmaji Rao.
10. Khaja Mohadeen, Jail Contractor, Chitaldrug.
11. Nanjappa.
12. Mohamed Ameer Sab.
13. C.N.Abdul Gaffur, Asst: Master, Urdu School, Chitaldr
14. K. Fazurulla Khan, Asst.Master, Urdu School, Chitaldrug.
15. C.S.Nagaraja Sastry.
16. H.K.Bheema Rao.
17. C.Siddarangappa, Asst.Master, Primary Boys' School, Chitaldrug.
18. H.Papachar.
19. L.A.Srinivasan.
20. Kampalappa.
21. Gopalappa.
22. Padmanabha Setty.
23. B.Marulappa, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Chitaldrug.
24. Ujjanappachari.
25. Honny D'Souza, Supt.Burma Shell, Chitaldrug.
26. P.V.Puttuswamy.
27. G.Mallarji Rao.
28. K.Nagappa, Asst.Master, Kannada Middle School, Chitaldrug.
29. R.G.Muthappa, B.A., B.T., Asst.Master,Govt.High School, Chitaldrug.
30. H.C.Ramanna, L.M.P.

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

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No.F.138-40/W.

THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.
5th December 1940.

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CIVIC GUARD.

Please refer to my demi-official letter No.F.138-1940/(W), dated the 5th July 1940.

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I saw an announcement in the newspapers the other day that Civic Guards were being formed in the several districts of the State. I would be grateful if you would kindly let me know the progress made so far.

Yours sincerely

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Amin-ul-mulk
Sir Mirza M. Ismail, K.C.I.E., O.B.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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My dear.....

CIVIC GUARD.

With reference to your D.C.No.F.138-40/10 dated 5th December 1934 to Sir Mirza M. Ismail, I ~~am communicating to you~~ the ~~following particulars regarding the progress made so far~~ in the matter of raising a Civic Guard in the State, I write to inform you that

Pending the undertaking of the necessary legislation to give effect to the Scheme, the District Magistrates of Districts and the Inspector-General of Police were informed of the general lines on which it was proposed to constitute the force of Civic Guards and steps were ordered to be taken in the matter of preparing lists of persons eligible for enlistment. ~~In the meantime~~, an Emergency Act (~~on lines~~ similar to ~~those of~~ the Government of India Ordinance) ~~was also~~ promulgated (copy enclosed) and necessary action is ~~also~~ being taken to ~~pass~~ issue rules thereunder ~~to suit~~ suitable having regard to local conditions. ~~Further, it is also proposed to supply at the cost of Government two pairs of khaki shorts and two shirts to each Member of the Civic Guard as also the distinctive badges.~~ It ~~is understood that~~ has been preliminary lists of candidates eligible for enlistment are ready in ~~many of the~~ several districts and the work of enrolment ~~will be~~ is being proceeded with expeditiously. Further information regarding the strength of the organization,

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etc., will be intimated to you later on receipt of the detailed particulars from the District ~~Magistrates~~.

Yours sincerely,

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The Hon'ble
Lt. Col. J.H. Gordon, C.I.E.,
C.B.E.,M.C.,

Resident in Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Meanwhile a copy of a circular letter No 1537-45 dated 30/9/40 issued to the District Magistrates regarding the lines on which action was to be taken is enclosed for your information

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OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
MYSORE DISTRICT.

No. G1 - 1008 of 39-40
Enc. One report.

Dated, Mysore, 5th December *19*40.

FROM

K. SUBBA RAO, Esq., B.A.,
THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
MYSORE DISTRICT, MYSORE.

To

Rajasevaprasaktna:
B. T. KESAVLENGAR, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

SIR,

SUBJECT:- ENROLMENT OF CIVIC GUARDS.

With reference to your memo No. 2201-9 C.B. dated 25-11-40 on the above subject, I have the honour to forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of the progress report No. F.C. 170 of 40-41 dated the 2nd instant, received from the District Superintendent of Police, Mysore.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K. Subba Rao

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
MYSORE DISTRICT.

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Letter No. F.C. 170/40-41 dated 2nd December 1940 from the District Superintendent of Police, Mysore District, Mysore, to the Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, Mysore.

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SUBJECT;- Civic Guards - Mysore District.

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I have the honour to state that in accordance with letter No. 1537-45/C.B. dated 30-9-1940 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore to the District Magistrate of Districts, the enrolment of civic Guards has been made in Mysore City and also at Nanjangud as shown below:-

	Civic Guards.	Group Commander
MYSORE CITY.	150	15.
NANJANGUD.	40	4

The above civic Guards were inspected and clear - instructions have been given to them. They are undergoing training.

There has been good response and suitable persons have come forward and enrolled themselves.

There is likelihood of additional members enrolling themselves as Civic Guards.

Further additions to the Civic Guard organisation in Mysore City as well as at Nanjangud will be duly reported.

"C o p y"

District Magistrate,
Mysore District.

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D. O. No. 3931
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10th December 40

Dear Col. Gordon,

Subject.- Civic Guard.

With reference to your D.C.No.F.138-40/10 dated 5th December 1940 to Sir Mirza M.Ismail in the matter of raising a Civic Guard in the State, I write to inform you that an Emergency Act similar to the Government of India Ordinance has been promulgated (copy enclosed) and necessary action is being taken to issue rules thereunder having regard to local conditions. Preliminary lists of candidates eligible for enlistment are ready in the several districts and the work of enrolment is being proceeded with expeditiously. Further information regarding the strength of the organisation, etc., will be intimated to you later on receipt of the detailed particulars from the Districts. Meanwhile, a copy of a circular letter No. 1537-45 dated 30th September 1940 issued to the District Magistrates indicating the lines on which action was to be taken is enclosed for your information.

Yours sincerely,

MM

Hon'ble
Lt. Col. J.H. Gordon, M.C., C.I.E., C.B.E.,
Resident in Mysore, Bangalore.

Submitted

File re: formation of civic groups in the state: ____

Ltr to Pres dg the rept of the President's letter to the Secy on the subject.

Dft 10-22-40

CIVIC GUARDS.

Bangalore City	..	154	- training commenced.
Chennapatna	..	33	
Mysore City	..	166	- training commences to-morrow.
Nanjangud	..	44	- training commenced.
Kolar	..	40	
Kolar Gold Field	..	45	- 45 more to be enlisted
Chitaldrug	..	30	
Hassan	..	37	
Mandya	..	40	
Tumkur			
Shimoga & Bhadravati	..	88	
Kadur	..	40	
Davangere	..	42	
		761	

Formal enrolment has not taken place as the promulgation of the Civic Guards Act is awaited.

The above figures are as per lists of volunteers compiled in Districts.

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NOTIFICATION.

Order No. P. 2762 —*Legis.* 23-40-1, *dated Bangalore, the* 26*th November* 1940.

Ordered that the accompanying Emergency Act to provide for the constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore which received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja, on the 5th day of November 1940, be published as Act No. XXVII of 1940, in the *Mysore Gazette* for general information.

H. V. NARAYANA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

Act No. XXVII OF 1940.

The Civic Guards (Emergency) Act, 1940.

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONSTITUTION OF CIVIC GUARDS IN MYSORE.

(*Received the assent of His Highness the Maharaja on the fifth day of November* 1940.)

WHEREAS an emergency has arisen which makes it necessary to provide for the constitution of Civic Guards in Mysore.

NOW THEREFORE, under Section 12 of the Mysore Legislative Council Act, 1923, it is hereby enacted as follows:—

Short title, extent and commencement.

1. (1) This Act may be called the Civic Guards (Emergency) Act, 1940.

(2) It extends to the whole of Mysore.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

Constitution of Civic Guards.

2. The District Magistrate of a district may constitute for that district a body to be called the Civic Guard, the members of which shall discharge such functions in relation to the protection of persons, the security of property or the public safety as may be assigned to them in accordance with the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder.

Appointment of members.

3. The District Magistrate of a district may appoint as members of the Civic Guard so many persons, who are fit and willing to serve as such, as he is authorised by the Government to appoint and may appoint any such member to any office of command in the Civic Guard.

Functions of members.

4. The District Magistrate of a district may at any time call out a member of the Civic Guard for training or to discharge any of the functions assigned to the Civic

Guard in accordance with the provisions of this Act and the rules made thereunder.

Powers, protection and control.

5. (1) A member of the Civic Guard when called out under section 4 shall have the same powers, privileges and protection as an officer of police appointed under any law for the time being in force.

(2) No prosecution shall be instituted against a member of the Civic Guard in respect of anything done or purporting to be done by him in the discharge of his functions as such member, except with the previous sanction of the District Magistrate.

Control by officers of police force.

6. The members of the Civic Guard when called out under section 4 directly in aid of the police force, shall be under the control of the officers of such force, in such manner and to such extent as may be prescribed by rules made under section 8.

Penalty.

7. If any member of a Civic Guard, on being called out under section 4, without sufficient excuse, neglects or refuses to obey such order, or to discharge his functions as a member of the Civic Guard, or to obey any lawful order or direction given to him for the performance of his duties, he shall, on conviction by a competent court, be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty rupees.

Rules.

8. The Government may make rules consistent with this Act—

(*a*) providing for the exercise by any police officer or other servant of the Government of the powers conferred on the District Magistrate by section 4 of this Act;

(*b*) providing for the exercise of control by officers of the police force over members of the Civic Guard when acting directly in aid of the police force;

(*c*) regulating the organisation, appointment, conditions of service, duties, discipline, arms, accoutrements and clothing of members of the Civic Guard and the manner in which they may be called out for service;

(*d*) conferring on members of the Civic Guard according to their office any powers, other than magisterial or judicial powers, exercisable by any person under any Act;

(*e*) generally for giving effect to the provisions of this Act.

MIRZA M. ISMAIL,
Dewan.

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THE RESIDENCY,
BANGALORE.
16th December 1940.

CIVIC GUARDS.

Mysore Sir Mirza

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Please refer to Madhava Rao's demi-official letter No.3931, dated the 10th December 1940.

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2. I am glad to note that the enrolment of Civic Guards in the districts is being proceeded with expeditiously.

3. Perhaps it would be useful if the Civic Guards could also be given some preliminary training in air raid precautions, fire-fighting and first aid.

Yours sincerely

C Secy

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Amin-ul-mulk
Sir Mirza M. Ismail, K.C.I.E., O.B.E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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CHITALDRUG.

In reply, please refer to :
No. C.1.C.3738/39-40
Enclosures : one.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Dated Chitaldrug, 20th December 1940.

FROM

R. P. MALLAPPA, ESQ., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
CHITALDRUG.

To

Rajasevaprasakta,
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

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SIR,

SUBJECT :— *Enrolment of Civic Guards.*

In continuation of this Office letter No.Cl.C.3738/39-40 dated the 2nd December 1940, I have the honour to state that Civic Guards at Davangere were constituted on the 10th instant. 44 Members have been appointed as Civic Guards under Section (3) of the Civic Guards Emergency Act 1940 in Davangere Town and the training has commenced. The list of Civic Guards is enclosed herein for favour of kind reference.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldurg District.

List of persons who have been ~~enlisted~~ appointed as Civic Guards at Davangere under Sec. 3 of the Civic Guards Emergency Act. 1960.

1. Mr.H.Kotrabasappa, B.A., LL.B., Advocate and Vice President, Davangere Town Municipality, (Group Commander)
2. " Nagaiah, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Hadadi Extension, Davangere.
3. " N.Govinda Setty, Scout Master, High School, Davangere.
4. " N,S.Gunda Iyer, Scout Asst.Master, -do-
5. " Rama Rao, Scout Master, Old Middle School, -do-
6. " R.Kalyanaiah, Scout Master, New Middle School, -do-
7. " H.A.Narasimha Murthy, Scout Master, Old Middle School, -do-
8. " Syed Ahamed, Drill Instructor, Old Middl e School, -do-
9. " H.M.Kotraiah, Phall Co., Agent, Davangere.
10. " S.Syed Gouse, Drill Instructor, High School, Davangere.
11. " Mahamad Khasim, Agent, Chevrolet Co., Davangere.
12. " S.M.Bharmajja, Municipal Member, Davangere.
13. " Orikonda Murgendrappa, Merchant, Davangere.
14. " Bethur Karibasappa, -do-
15. " Naganahalli Basappa, Merchant, Davangere.
16. " G.S.Dixit, Insurance Agent, Davangere.
17. " K.V.Burli c/o Mr.B.Gunda Rao, Manager, Mahalaksmi Talkies, Davangere.
18. " G.Ranganatha Dixit, Merchant, Davangere.
19. " A.R.Shankaraiah, B.E.A. School Teacher, Davangere.
20. " B.Rama Rao, Copiest, F.C,M. Court Davangere.
21. " Seshadri, Copies, F.C.M. Court, Davangere.
22. " H.M.Veerabadraiah, Merchant, Davangere.
23. " H.Babu Rao, Tailor, Davangere.
24. "D.M.Channabasappa, Cotton Market,-School, Davangere.
25. "A.Ananthanarayanamurthy, Land Lord, Davangere.
26. " Y.Nagaraja Rao, son of Compounder, Rama Rao, Davangere.
27. " H.M.Sivamurthy son of Mr.Siddaramaiah, Municipal President, Davangere
28. " H.M.Murigendraiaha, Student, Davangere.
29. " K.Panchaksharaiah, Merchant, Davangere.
30. " H.K.Krishnaswamy, Private Practioner, Davangere.
31. " B.Nagesha Rao,Land Lord, Davangere.
32. " Md.Chaman Sab, Contractor Davangere.
33. " Burley Krishnamurthy, Land Lord, Davangere.

34. Mr. Venkateshappa, Flower Merchant, Barline Road, Davangere.

35. " Md. Hussain son of Abdul Nabi, Davangere.

36. " Mr. Shamanur Sangappa Merchant, Davangere.

37. " Ananthappa, Brahmappa Thavanappanavar, Davangere.

38. " N. V. Lakshmi, B.A. Jayadeva Extension, Davangere.

39. " V. Gunda Rao, son of Subba Rao Davangere.

40. " Ramachandra Rao son of Narasinga Rao, Shanbhogue, Avergere.

41. " Maharudraiah, Advocate, Davangere.

42. " J. Balaji Rao, Scout Master, Davagere.

43. " J. Balakrishna Rao, Cycle Shop Keeper, Davangere.

44. " Ramachandra Rao Scindia son Settappa Scindia, Davangere.

SD/- N. Madhava Rao,
District Superintendent of Police,
Chitaldurg District.

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Deputy Commissioner, District Magistrate,
Chitaldurg District.

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No. J.C 90/40-41
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OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Dated, Tumkur the .24th. December.....1940 .

FROM

K. Guru Dutt, Esq., B.A.,
The Deputy Commissioner, & District Magistrate,
Tumkur District, TUMKUR.

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Subject:—

SIR.

With reference to your memo No.2201-9/C.B. dated 25th November 1940 forwarding copy of your letter dated 25-11-1940 addressed to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore regarding the enrolment of Civic Guards in the State, I have the honour to state that about 60 members have been enrolled till now and action taken to give them the necessary training. A copy of letter No.C.C.2/40-41 dated 20th December 1940 received from the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur in the matter is enclosed for kind reference.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.

SS/-.

Letter No.C.C.2/40-41 dated 20-12-40 from the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur District, to the District Magistrate, Tumkur District.

Adverting to your memo No.G.L.1630/40-41 dated the 28th November 1940 regarding the enrolment of Civil Guards in the State, I have the honour to state that meetings in connection with the enrolment of Civic Guards were held in the Town Hall under the presidentship of the District Magistrate on 30-11-40 and on 2-12-40 and 5-12-40 in the District Magistrate's office. About 60 members were enrolled with the idea of forming a detachment of 5 Group Commanders and 50 guards. A printed leaflet in Kannada was also distributed in the Town explaining the scope, purpose and functions of the Civil Guard, as there was an apprehension in the public mind that the civic guards would eventually be sent out of the District or would be otherwise utilised for war purposes.

As per the instructions laid down in letter No.1537-40-41 C.B. dated the 30th September 1940 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore to the District Magistrates of the Districts, the training of the Civic Guards has been taken up and general instructions were given to the selected candidates who were present on the 11th and 13th December in my office. Sundays and Tuesdays have been fixed in accordance with their general wish for imparting training in marching and short lathi drill and instructions in simple Police procedure and catechism. On the 15th and 17th December 3 group commanders and 30 men attended the marching drill. Instructions will be continued to be given to them for two hours a day on two days a week for the first month and thereafter one hour a week as laid down in the letter of the Chief Secretary adverted to above.

The Inspector-General of Police has been addressed on 14-12-1940 for the supply of uniform to the Group Commanders and the Guard.

Endeavours are being made to instill in the minds of these officers and men to be regular in attendance and do their best to utilize the opportunity afforded to them for the exercise of their civic responsibilities.

Any further instructions in the matter are awaited.

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District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.

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In reply please refer to—

No. J.1.P.R.2-4/40-41.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
KADUR DISTRICT.

Chikmagalur, dated 6th January, ... 1941.

FROM MAHOMED ISMAIL SHERIFF
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX, ESQUIRE, B.A.,
District Magistrate,
Kadur District.

RAJASEVAPRASAKTA
B. T. KESAVIENGAR, ESQUIRE, B.A.,
CHIEF *Secretary to the Government of*
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

Subject: Enrolment of Civic Guards at Kadur District Head Quarter

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In inviting your kind reference to my report No. J.1. P.R. 2-4/40-41 dated 18-11-40 on the above subject, forwarding the list of names enrolled as Civic Guards along with the names who may be appointed as Group Commanders, submitted by the District Superintendent of Police, Kadur District in his report No. F.C. 1/40-41 dated 12-11-40 and requesting the favour of further instructions in the matter, I have the honour to state that the instructions solicited are not so far received.

2. As the Inspector-General of Police is issuing stringent orders to the District Superintendent of Police to expedite further action in the matter and as the District Superintendent of Police in turn is submitting reminder reports for orders with reference to para 1 of your letter No. 1537-45/C.B. dated 30-9-1940, I request that immediate instructions may kindly be issued.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For District Magistrate,
Kadur District,
(Absent from Head Quarters)

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2876-84 & 2?/1/41.

Very Urgent

The District Magistrate
District.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to kindly furnish information immediately regarding the progress made so far in regard to the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in your district & the nature of the duties that are being performed by those that have so far been enrolled.

I am also to enquire whether it would be practicable to arrange for a parade of the Civic Guards in your district during the Inspector's forthcoming tour.

The favour of an immediate reply is requested. A copy of your report may be sent to the I.G. of Police also

Yours Sincerely

Chief Secy

2885 & 21/1/41

Copy to the I.G. of Police with the request that any information that may be

Mr. C.G.R
21/1/41.

In the copies to be sent to Dy Comrs of Kadur, Shimoga & Hassan.
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available in his office
on the points referred
to above may be
kindly furnished
immediately.

G. A. Chief Clerk.

VERY URGENT.
D. O.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT,

Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1941.

No. 2876-84/CB.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to request you to kindly furnish information immediately regarding the progress made so far in regard to the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in your district and the nature of the duties that are being performed by those that have so far been entrolled.

Only to Shimoga Hassan & Kadur.

I am also to enquire whether it would be practicable to arrange for a parade of the Civic Guards in your district during His Highness' forthcoming tour.

The favour of an immediate reply is requested. A copy of your report may be sent to the Inspector General of Police also.

Yours sincerely,

(Sd.) B. T. Kesavaiengar,

~~For~~ Chief Secretary to Govt.

To

The District Magistrate,s of
(1) Shimoga, (2) Kadur
n. Par. 2 & (3) Hassan] District.s.

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Memo No. 2885/C.B

Copy of the above is forwarded, with compliments, to the Inspector General of Police in Mysore, with the request that any information that may be available in his office on the points referred to above may be kindly furnished immediately.

By order,

- C. Ramaiya

For Chief Secy. to Govt.

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Tel. Address :— Depcom.
CHITALDRUG.

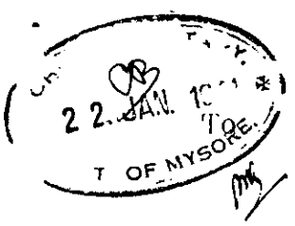
In reply, please refer to :
No. Cl.C.3738/39-40.
Enclosures :

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Dated Chitaldrug, ...21st January..... *1941*.

FROM

R. P. Mallappa, Esq., B.A., LL.B.,
District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug District.



Rajasevaprasakta
B. T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of my memo No.Cl.C.3738/39-40 dated 21st January 1941 appointing Civic Guards at Chitaldrug under Section 3 of the Civic Guards (Emergency) Act of 1940.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

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Office of the District Ma
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No.C1.C.3738/39-40. Dated, Chitaldrug, 21st J

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Under Section 3 of the Civic Guards (Emergency) Act the following persons have been appointed as Civic Guard Chitaldrug.

1. Mr. W. T. Hanumantha Rao, B.A., LL.B.,
2. " B.K. Ramachandra Rao, B.A., LL.B.,
3. " Radhakrishna Setty.
4. " R. Venkatarangam, B.A., LL.B.,
5. " T. B. Shama Rao.
6. " S. Srinivasan, B.Sc., (Hons).
7. " M. Aswathanarayana Chetty.
8. " T.S.Pranesha Char.
9. " B. V. Padmaji Rao.
10. " Khaja Mohadeen.
11. " Nanjappa.
12. " Mahamed Ameer Sab.
13. " C.N.Abdul Gaffur.
14. " K. Fazarullakhan.
15. " C.S.Nagaraja Sastry.
16. " H.K. Bhima Rao.
17. " C.Siddarangappa.
18. " H.Papa Char.
19. " L.K.Srinivasan.
20. " Kampalappa.
21. " Gopalappa.
22. " T.L.Padmanabha Setty.
23. " B. Marulappa, B.A., LL.B.,
24. " Ujjappa Chari.
25. " Honny' D' Souza.
26. " B.V.Puttuswamy.
27. " G.Mallarji Rao.
28. " K.Nagappa.
29. " R.G.Muttappa, B.A., B.T.,
30. " H.C.Ramanna, ~~km~~.L.M.P.

31. Mr. H. Prahlada Rao.

32. " K.S.Sriranga Setty.

33. " V.Lakshmipathy.

34. " C.Veerabasappa.

35. " V. Venkata Naik.

36. " Anantharaman.

37. " H. Rangarajan.

38."C.P.Nazir Ahamed.

39. " T.Syed Hussein.

Sd. R. P. Mallappa,

District Magistrate,
Chitaldrug District.

Copy of the above is forwarded with compliments to the Chief Secretary to Government, for kind information.

DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

JBR.

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BANGALORE

URGENT.

D.O. No. C.C.1/40-41.

January 23, 1941.

E. G. B. PEEL, Esq., C.I.E.,
Inspector-General of Police
in Mysore.

C.B. MS 23.1.41

Dear Sir,

Please refer to your endorsement No.2885/C.B. dated 20-1-1941, regarding a suggested parade for Civic Guards during His Highness' tour in Shimoga, Kadur and Hassan Districts.

It has not so far been possible to issue uniform to the Civic Guards owing to the fact that the shirt cloth ordered from Binny's Mills has not yet been supplied. Consequently it is perhaps premature to arrange for ceremonial parades at this stage.

Yours sincerely,

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Rajasevaprasakta
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore.

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No.J.1.P.R. 2-4/40-41.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
Kadur District,
Dated, Chikmagalur. the 22nd January 1941.

From

Mahomed Ismail Sheriff, Esq., B.A.,

Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District.

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B. T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,

Chief Secretary to the Government

of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

BANGALORE.

Sir,

Subject: Enrolment of Civic Guards at Kadur District Head-Quarters.

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Adverting to your D.O. letter No. 2876-84/C. B. dated 20-1-1941 on the above subject and enquiring whether it would be practicable to arrange for a parade of the Civic Guards in this District during His Highness's forth-coming tour, I have the honour to invite your kind reference to my report of even No. dated 21-11-40 with which the list of names of persons proposed by the District Superintendent of Police, Kadur District to be appointed as Group Commanders and enrolled by him as Civic Guards was submitted soliciting further instructions in the matter and subsequent report dated 6-1-41 on the same subject. I request that the instructions solicited may kindly be ordered to be issued immediately to enable me to enrol the Civic Guards.

2. As provided in para 1 of your letter No. 1537-45/C.B. dated 30-9-40 addressed to all the District Magistrates, I have however approved today the appointment of Group Commanders and Civic Guards proposed by the District Superintendent of Police as per list

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list submitted by him, in anticipation of your kind approval. The District Superintendent of Police has been directed to take immediate further action in the matter.

3. As for the parade of the Civic Guards in this District during His Highness's Tour, I have asked the District Superintendent of Police to arrange for an intensive training and to report after a week, if a parade of the kind mentioned by you can be arranged.

4. Further instructions in the matter are solicited.

I have the honour to
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For District Magistrate,
Kadur District.
(Absent from Headquarters).

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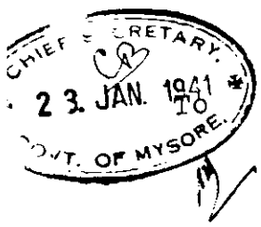
No.A.5.C. 2522/39-40.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District,
Dated, Kolar, the 22nd January 1941.

From

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District, Kolar.



Rajasevapraskta
B.T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Subject:- Enlistment of Civic Guards in the Kolar District.

With reference to your D.O. No. 2876-84/C.B. dated 20-1-1941, calling for a report in regard to the above subject, I have the honour to state that in pursuance of an Appeal to the public for the enlistment of Civic Guards in the Kolar and the Kolar Gold Field Areas, 43 applications were received ~~by~~ for the Kolar District area and 73 for the Kolar/Gold Fields area as against 36 and 100 required for the respective areas. It is reported that 36 persons out of the 43 applicants have been selected for the Kolar area and all the 73 applicants have been selected for the Kolar Gold Fields area and that necessary training is also being given. Further particulars will be furnished on receipt of the reports from the two Superintendents of Police.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

G. Sundara Rao

Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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D.O. No. G1-1008/39-40

MYSORE,

MR. K. SUBBA RAO, B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner.

Dated 24th January 1941.

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My dear Sir,

With reference to your demi-official letter No. 2876-84/C.B. dated the 20th January 1941, regarding the progress made in the matter of the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in this District, I write to state as follows:-

So far, 240 Civic Guards as noted in the margin have been enrolled. Of them 149 are literates including 24 graduates. 78 persons own cycles, and 15 persons know motor driving. 32 are Scouts and Rovers.

		Group Commanders.	Civic Guards.
Mysore City		16	170
Nanjangud		4	50
		20	220
TOTAL	240		

The training consists of foot-drill and lessons in simple Police procedure, twice a week - on Wednesdays and Sundays at Nanjangud, and on Saturdays and Sundays, at Mysore. The training is in the hands of the Officers of the Provincial Police Detachment, Mysore and the Inspectors of the Mysore City and the Nanjangud Taluk.

Now that the City Police have been supplied with Lathis, the Batons originally supplied to them are lying unused in the several Police Stations. With a view to increase the usefulness of the Civic Guards, Mr. A.V. Ramanathan, when he was the Inspector General of Police, had suggested that the Civic Guards might be trained in the use of Police batons. The permission of the Inspector General of Police for utilising the batons in the manner proposed is awaited.

There is also a proposal to supply uniforms to all Civic Guards. The sizes of the dress required for the trainees

in this District have been furnished by the District Superintendent of Police to the Inspector General of Police. I am sending a copy of this letter to the Inspector General of Police.

Yours sincerely,

K. Subba Rao

To

Rajasevaprasakta
B.T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
B A N G A L O R E.

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D.O. No. A4.C. 1901-60/40-41
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MR. M. SESHADRI, M, A.,
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER.
District & Magistrate

OFFICE OF THE DUPUTY COMMISSIONER,
SHIMOGA DISTRICT.

Shimoga, Dated the 25th January *1941*.

CB. MS 26/1/41

Dear Mr. Kesaviengar,

With reference to your D.O. letter No. 2876-84/C.B. dated the 20th instant, about the progress made in the enlistment of Civic Guards in the district, I write to say that 50 have been enlisted at Shimoga town and 20 at Bhadravati so far. They are being trained in foot-drill twice a week. Their training is still imperfect and they have not been employed in any duties so far. In view of the incompletness of their training and the want of uniform, it seems to me that it will not be practicable to parade them during His Highness's tour. I am sending herewith a copy of the report received from the District Superintendent of Police on the same subject.

2. I am sending a copy of this letter and that of its enclosure to the Inspector-General of Police as desired.

Yours sincerely,

M. Seshadri

Report No. S.B. 1/40 dated 23-1-1941 from the District Superintendent of Police, Shimoga District to the District Magistrate, Shimoga District.

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With reference to your memo No. A4.C. 1901-60/40-41 dated 23rd January 1941 forwarding a copy of D.O. No. 2876-84/C.B. dated 20th January 1941, from the Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore, regarding the Civic Guards, I have the honour to state that fifty have been enlisted in Shimoga town and twenty in Bhadravathi. They are being trained in foot-drill. So far, they have not yet perfected themselves in that drill. They require some more training before they could be called upon for a parade. Besides, no uniform has so far been supplied to them and without uniform, it will not be possible to hold a parade of the Civic Guards.

If, however, uniform is supplied to them before the visit of His Highness the Maharaja, a few companies will be kept ready for performing duties during the visit of His Highness.

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District Magistrate,
Shimoga District.

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& District Magistrate,
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,/
TUMKUR DISTRICT.

No. J.C.100/40-41
Enc. (1)

Dated, Tumkur the 25th January 1941.

FROM

K. GURU DUTT, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,& District Magistrate,
Tumkur District, TUMKUR.

TO

Rajasevaprasakta,
B.T. Keshvaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
Bangalore.

Subject:—

SIR.

With reference to your D.O. letter No. 2876-84/C.B. dated 20th January 1941 regarding the progress made in the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in the District, I have the honour to invite kind reference to my letter No. J.C.90/40-41 dated 23rd December 1940 and to state that out of 60 members enrolled up to the 23rd December 1940, some have failed to come for training inspite of requisitions. The ~~minimum~~ strength for the Headquarters Contingent could therefore be fixed at only 4 group Commanders and 40 members. Arrangements have been made by the District Superintendent of Police for giving these persons the necessary training, but no duty has so far been assigned to them.

A copy of letter No. C.C.2/40-41 dated 24th January 1941 received from the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur in the matter is enclosed for favour for information.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.

Copy of letter No. C.C.2/40-41 dated 24th January 1941 from the District Superintendent of Police, Tumkur to the District Magistrate, Tumkur District.

With reference to your Memo No. J.C.100/40-41 dated the 21st January 1941 for a report regarding the progress made so far in the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in this district and the nature of duties that are being performed by those that are so far enrolled, I have the honour to report that public meetings for the purpose of enlightening the people regarding the institution of the Civic Guards and enrolment of members composing the District Contingent were held in the Town Hall under the Presidency of the District Magistrate on 30-11-1940 and in the District Magistrate's office on 2-12-1940 and 5-12-40. About 60 members were enrolled from all classes of people who volunteered for this service at the time with the idea of forming a detachment of 5 Group Commanders and 50 Guards. The minimum for the Headquarters Contingent could be fixed at 4 Group Commanders and 40 members as ~~xxxx~~ all the 60 that enrolled themselves are not attending inspite of repeated requisitions.

The training of the Civic Guards has been taken up from 11-12-1940 on the lines indicated in letter No. 1537-40-41 dated 28/30th September 1940 from the Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore to the District Magistrates of the Districts. General instructions were given to the selected members on 11th and 13th December 1940 in my office and instructions are being given on Sundays and Tuesdays since then in Marching, Short lathi drill and simple Police procedure based on Constable's catechism. As the period of training is still continuing and no distinctive uniform has yet been supplied to them, no duties have been so far performed by them. It would be possible to give all of them duties on an experimental basis after the supply of uniforms is made and utilise them for patrols, watch and ward, traffic, shandy and control~~x~~ and regulation of vehicular traffic and crowds during important functions and festivities.

The Inspector-General of Police has been addressed for the supply of uniforms to the officers and members of the Guard on 14-12-1940.

Printed leaflets in Kannada were distributed in the Town clearly explaining the scope, purpose and functions of the Civic Guard as there was an apprehension growing in the public mind that the Civic Guards is an institution set up by the Government with a view to eventually utilise its members for war purposes.

In the working of this scheme, it has been found that the generality of the public has no civic sense and though an opportunity is afforded for those who are anxious directly to help the State and themselves in the present emergency their response is poor. Volunteers from among the right type of citizens are not forthcoming and those that do come are inclined more to skulk than to serve. However endavours are being made to instill in their minds the need for utilising the opportunity afforded to them for public duty and be punctual and regular in their attendance when training is imparted.

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For District Magistrate,
Tumkur District.

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D. O. No. J. C 2563/40-41 Enc.
Mr. C. M. H. RANAJODHA SINGH
~~Mr. B. G. RAGHAVENDRA RAO~~
Offg. Deputy Commissioner.

MANDYA,

Dated 28th January 1941

C.B. 31/1/41

Sir

In reply to your D.O.Letter No.2876-84/C.B. dated 20th January 1941 calling for a report regarding the progress made so far in respect of the enrolment and training of Civic Guards, I write to state that 44 candidates - have been enlisted to serve as Civic Guards and Civic Guard Officers. They are being trained in drill twice a week during the past six weeks and general instructions are - being given in simple Police procedure. They have not yet been employed on any duties and it is arranged to give them practical training in the different duties of the Police from February 1941. It may be mentioned in this connection that the Civic Guards are asking for the early supply of uniform and brassards.

Yours sincerely,

(Absent from Head Quarters).

Rajasevaprasaktha
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

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Tel. Address :—Depcom.
CHITALDRUG.

In reply, please refer to :
No. JB.Cl.3738/40
Enclosures :

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

(Camp) Harihar,
Dated Chitaldrug, 28th January 1941.

FROM

R. P. MALLAPPA, ESQ., B.A., LL.B.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldrug District,
CHITALDRUG.

CB (war)

CHIEF SECRETARY
31 JAN. 19[illegible]
GOVT. OF MYSORE

TO

Rajasevaprasakta,
B.T.Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to Government,
BANGALORE.

SIR,

SUBJECT :— *Re: Civic Guards in Chitaldurg District.*

With reference to your D.O. letter no.2876-84/C.B. dated 20th January 1941 requesting me to furnish information re: the progress made in regard to the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in this District and nature of the duties that are being performed by those that have so far been enrolled etc., I have thehonour to state that it is reported by the District Superintendent of Police, Chitaldurg District that 39 and 44 persons have been enrolled as Civic Guards in Chitaldurg and Davangere respectively, that they are being given training in drill for 2 days in a week and that measurements for their uniform have been submitted to the Inspector-General of Police and also a requisition has been made for Brassards in his office Memo No. S.B.40/40-41 dated 2.1.1941 and 11.1.1941 respectively. It is further reported that the Civic Guards have not been entrusted with any regular duties so far. As soon as the uniforms are received, further action will be taken to give training to these Civic Guards and to entrust them with such

such duties as are necessary.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,
Chitaldurg District.

Office of the District Magistrate,
Hassan District,
Dated Hassan, the 29th January 1941.

No: JI-300/40

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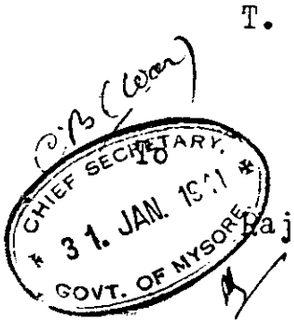
From

T. Ramaiya, Esq., B.A., (Hons)

District Magistrate, Hassan District.



To

Rajasevaparaskata
B.T. Kesavaiengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

With reference to your D.O. letter No: 2876-84/C.B. dated 20th Jany. 1941 calling for information regarding the progress made so far in regard to the enrolment and training of Civic Guards in this District etc., I have the honor to state that I enrolled three group Commanders and thirty four Guards on 16th December 1940 in consultation with the District Superintende of Police, Hassan, and that they are being trained in drill since then for two days in a week. At present no other duties are being performed by the But it is not possible to arrange a Parade during His Highness' forthcoming visit since no uniforms have been supplied to them and they are not sufficiently trained yet.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

District Magistrate,
Hassan District.

as

No. 3037/C3.
A./Works & Campaigns.

1-2-1941.

Dear Sir,

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O. letter No.3512 dated 17th January 1941, asking for information regarding the progress that has been made in regard to the enrolment of Civic Guards in the State, and to enclose a note indicating the number enrolled in each of the districts on the basis of particulars so far received from District Magistrates.

As regards para 2 of your letter, I am to state that the I.G.P. reports that it has not yet been possible to issue uniform to the Civic Guards owing to the fact that the shirt cloth ordered from Binny's Mills has not yet been supplied. Further, the reports of District Magistrates also indicate that the training of the Civic Guards has not sufficiently advanced in most of the places. In the circumstances, I am to state that it would be perhaps premature to arrange for ceremonial parades at this stage.

Yours sincerely,

Sir Charles Todhunter, K.C.S.I.,
Private Secy. to H.H. the Maharaja.

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K.G.F. area.	73
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7. Chitaldrug	39
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No. 3037/CB

Enl: 1 Note &
- Copy of rule.

1st February 41

Dear Sir Charles Todhunter,

I am desired to acknowledge the receipt of your D.O. letter No.3512 dated 17th January 1941, asking for information regarding the progress that has been made in regard to the enrolment of Civic Guards in the State, and to enclose a note indicating the number enrolled in each of the districts on the basis of particulars so far received from District Magistrates.

As regards para 2 of your letter, I am to state that the Inspector General of Police reports that it has not yet been possible to issue uniform to the Civic Guards owing to the fact that the shirt cloth ordered from Binny's Mills has not yet been supplied. Further, the reports of District Magistrates indicate that the training of the Civic Guards has not sufficiently advanced in most of the places. In the circumstances, I am to state that it would perhaps be premature to arrange for ceremonial parades at this stage.

Y.S.

Sd B.T. Kesavaiyar

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No.A.5.C. 2522/39-40.
Enc. two reports &
two statements.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District,
Dated, Kolar, the 6th February 1941.

From

G. Sundara Rao, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District, Kolar.

Rajasevaprasakta
B. T. Kesaviengar, Esq., B.A.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Mysore,
Bangalore.

CHIEF SECRETARY * 10 FEB. 1941 * GOVT. OF MYSORE.

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Subject:- Enlistment of Civic Guards in the Kolar District.

In continuation of my letter of even no. dated 22-1-41, on the above subject, I have the honour to forward herewith copies of reports No.A.1.C.9/40-41, dated 28-1-1941 and C.C.122/40-41, dated 28-1-41, respectively received from the District Superintendent of Police, Kolar and the Special Superintendent of Police, Kolar Gold Fields furnishing further particulars regarding the enlistment of and the training given to Civic Guards in the areas under their respective jurisdictions. Copies of the lists showing particulars of men enlisted as Civic Guards in the Kolar and the Kolar Gold Field areas are also enclosed for favour of perusal.

Sd/ for Personal.
The other D.C.s who have not sent reports to whom our last letter may be reminded.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.
6/2/41.

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Letter No.A.1.C. 9/40 dated 28th January 1941 from the District Superintendent of Police, Kolar, to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar.

Subject:- Enlistment of Civic Guards , Kolar District.

With reference to your No.A.5.C. 2522/39-40 dated 22-1-41 calling for a report as to the number of candidates selected, number of Group Commanders appointed and the nature of training that is being given etc, I have the honour to submit herewith in continuation of this office No.A.1.C. 9/40 dated 1.12.40, a revised list of candidates that have been selected and enlisted as civic guards for kind perusal. The applications received from outside Kolar Town, are held in abeyance , as the Civic Guards training extends to District Head Quarters only. The training is being given from 8-12-40 in Catechism and Drill.

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For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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Letter No.C.C.122/40-41 dated 28th January 1941 from the Special Superintendent of Police, Kolar Gold Fields to the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, Kolar.

Civic Guards

With reference to your memo No.A.5.C.2522/39-40 dated the 22nd instant, on the above subject, I have the honour to state that so far 83 applications have been received of whom 3 are said to have gone to War Since. Of the remaining about 45 are regularly attending the classes and some others are attending not regularly. It is ascertained that such of those that are on shift duty all the time to not get permission to attend the classes. On a reference having been made to the Chairman of the Mining Board in the matter a reply is received that only such of those that are on morning shift may be selected. I met the chairman of the Mining Board and explained to him that sufficient number of applications are not received to make any selections. I will meet him again after he has ascertained the news of the other superior members of the mines.

As regards the Group Commanders, I have selected 8 persons for 80 persons and as all of them are not attending the classes now - final selection has yet to be made. Regarding the nature of training that is given to these people, the Provincial Reserve Police Inspector is training them in Foot-drill and Lathi Drill on every Wednesday between 5 and 6.p.m. at the Champion Reef Football ground and the detective Inspector is giving them lectures in the Gifford Shaft Lecture Hall on every Saturaday between 4 and 5.p.m. in Police Catechism and procedure, General adminstration and Magisterial Jurisdiction etc., The final selection of Group Commanders and Division into Gropps will be made in a fortnight's time.

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For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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LIST OF CANDIDATES SELECTED FOR CIVIC GUARDS.

(KOLAR GOLD FIELDS AREA)

SL. NO.	Name and Occupation.	age.	Qualifications
1.	J. P. David, Asst. Inspector of Mines.	44	B.Sc.
2.	V.N.M.Felix, Malaria Inspector.	32	V Form
3.	Periyaswamy Dhamotharan, Laboratory attendant.	27	III Form
4.	P. K. Beshagiri Tao,	31	S.S.L.C.
5.	Ganapathi Krishnamurthy, Teacher.	33	B.A. Degree course
6.	M.S.Govindarajalu Naidu, Mechanical Asst.	28	S.S.L.C.
7.	Anthony Cruz, Timber cooly,	26	3rd class
8.	J.R. Kanniah,	25	III Form
9.	K.R.Ramchandra Singh, Picking Floor boy.	21	Lower Secondary course.
10.	Rajamanickam, Unemployee.	21	Tamil I Form
11.	M. Mari, Watchmaker and car driver.	25	Tamil IV standard.
12.	Arojyaswami, Unemployee	32	III year Tamil
13.	Munisamy, -do-	33	nil
14.	Bornabas, -do-	23	Tamil V year
15.	S. James -do-	21	Tamil IV standard
16.	Raji, -do-	23	Tamil II class
17.	Arokyaswami, -do-	22	I form
18.	Rajabather, -do-	21	Tamil V standard.
19.	K.F. Sangunni Nayar, Underground Mason	20	4th standard
20.	T. Munisami Unemployee	22	4th class Tamil
21.	Karikka Pokil Balakrishna Nair, Machine cooly	25	V standard
22.	M. Krishna Rao, Lace agency.	45	Vth class Telegu English.
23.	Bastian, Vulcanizer,	19	4th class Tamil
24.	Khader Shareef, Blast Maistry.	37	Urdu 12th class
25.	Jaindan, unemployee	21	Tamil II standard.
26.	S.D. Sundaram, Head Clerk, office of the commissioner for workmen's Compensation.	36	B.A.
27.	C.N.Arunachalam, Head Master, Nandy droog school.	36	S.S.L.C.
28.	K.N. Babu Rao, Assistant Master -do-	26	IV Form
29.	R. Harry.	31	S.S.I.C.
30.	M. Krishnan Nair, Motor Driver,	28	IVthe class.

31.	A. Doraraj, Native Doctor.	26	V Form
32.	M. Immanuel, Unemployee	20	IV Form
33.	P. Chinniah -do-	20	II Form
34.	M.Marimathu, Machine cooly.	25	Tamil IV standar
35.	L.Ganesha Rao, Blacksmithshop Oorgaum mine	20	I form
36.	Ramaswamy unemployee	27	nil
37.	Bathgapp, -do-	27	III year kannada
38.	Chinnaswamy, -do-	20	I year kannada
39.	Erudayaswamy, -do-	25	IV class Tamil
40.	Mari Muthu, -do-	23	III class Tamil
41.	Ranivet Munisamy, Machine maistry.	30	II year
42.	P. Manickam, Underground Cooly.	22	5th Standard
43.	V.G.Balan @ Paul Raj, Measuring boy	28	VIII standard
44.	M. Samuel Timber Worker.	19	II Form
45.	A. Sandiago, Supervisor, Underground.	29	L.S.
46.	R. Chinnaswamy Pipe fitter.	28	6th standard
47.	A David,Fitter	23	III Form
48.	D. Mauel,Clerk, Champion Reef mines.	26	S.S.L.C.course
49.	Jayaprakasam Nathaniel, Survey Maistry	23	S.S.L.C.
50.	P. Rajoo,Fitter Cooly,	23	I form
51.	A. Manickam, Underground Mason	20	I Form
52.	M.Satheyanadathan, Compressor cleaner.	19	III Form
53.	S. Balakrishnan,K Timber Maistry.	27	II Form
54.	G. Kannian, Road Cooly, Champion Mine.	21	I Form
55.	M. Anthony , Carpenter Maistry	36	II Form
56,	M.S. Yesu Doss, Bellman.	21	II Form
57.	A. Kesavaloo, unemployee.	28	V Form
58.	K.P. Thiruvenkadaswamy, clerk, Time Office	25	S.S.L.C.
59.	M. Munisamy, Lander.	26	III Form
60.	H.L. Punnayavanthagowda, Mission cooly	24	E.L.S.
61.	Paramasivan Nair, Pipe fitter,	26	First Form
62.	M. Chinnaswamy, Cage Cooly.	26	I Form
63.	James Christopher Adimoolam, Draughtsman	29	S.S.L.C. course
64.	J.C.Rajamanickam, Pipe fitter,	28	I Form
65.	J.S. Chowry Cruz Maistry	27	I form
66.	P. Dhanraj, Asst. Fitter.	26	III Form

67.	K.S. Doss, Fitter Maistry	28	VI Form
68.	B.K. Kuppuswamy, Surveyman	26	I Form
69.	C. Purushotham, Clerk under contractor O.V.Rajagopal naidu.	28	S.S.L.C Course ~~VI Form~~
70.	V. James, Surveyman.	26	V Form
71.	Gaffor Beig, Driver	30	Knows how to read and write in Urdu
72.	V.B. Palla Tambi, Blaster,	22	IV Form
73.	I. D.Krishnaswamy Naidu, Clerk, Nandydroog mine.	34	V Form
74.	P. Ramanathan Unemployee	39	S.S.L.C.
75.	S.Ranganathan, Banksman		S.S.L.C.
76.	Nagarajan, Unemployee	21	VII class Tamil
77.	Y.Pushparatnam -do-	21	S.S.L.C.
78.	R.Venkatraman, Manager, Modern Talkies, Kolar Gold Fields	29	S.S.L.C.
79.	J. Manuel Peter, Clerk, Mysore Mines	22	S.S.L.C.
80.	J.S.Shanmugam Pillay, Sanitary Line Overseer.	23	S.S.L.C.
81.	C. Joseph , Clerk, Nandydroog mine	27	S.S.L.C.
82.	P. Ramanujam, Disc Clerk, Time Office.		S.S.L.C. Course
83.	A. Soloman Victor, Banksman	23	S.S.L.C. ccurse
84.	A. Alexander, Gate Clerk, Nandydroog mine	27	L.S.
85.	A. Seetharajan, unemployee.	25	Third Form

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For Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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REVISED LIST FOR THE ENLISTMENT AS CIVIC GUARDS IN KOLAR DISTRICT.

Serial No.	Name.	Age.	qualifications
1.	V. Hanumantha Rao, Old Santhe Street, Kolar	29	S.S.L.C.
2.	Hanumanthappa, Goripet, Kolar.	23	II year
3.	Munisamy, c/o Mr. Momed Mustafa, Tannery, Kolar.	19	Tamil II year
4.	Munirathnam -do-	18	-do-III year
5.	Ponnaswamy -do-	43	-----
6.	Narayanappa Kataripalyam,Kolar	20	II year
7.	Sreenivasappa -do-	22	-do-
8.	George Leo M.E. Mission Kolar	22	Lower Secondary
9.	K.M.Krishnappa, Kurubarpet, Kolar.	20	IV year
10.	T.M. Radakrishniah, Kataripalya, Kolar.	20	English III year course
11.	G. S. Anjeneya -do-	20	L.S. Course
12.	Sadananda M.E.Mission, Kolar.	18	-do-
13.	M. Beerappa, Kurubarpet, Kolar.	23	Middle III year
14.	Ramakrishna, -do-	19	English III year,
15.	P.V. Sundararaja Iyengar, Brahmin Street, Kolar.	34	S.S.L.C.
16.	M.K. Chinnaswamy Naidu, Student, -do-	21	III year B.
17.	Lingappa, Cottonpet -do-	21	S.S.L.C.
18.	Ranganna, son of Sarma, Assistant Master -do-	19	S.S.L.C.
19.	H.V. Seetharam, Gopinatha Press -do-	27	-do- course

20.	Mr. Visveswariah, Contractor, Kolar.	26	Junior Inter
21.	K. N. Srinivas, Rama Temple Street, Kolar	28	S.S.L.C. course
22.	M. Munisamy, A.D. Hostel, Kolar.	19	S.S.L.C.
23.	Mr. K. Thimmaraj, Contractor, Kolar.	34	-do-
24.	Mr. M. Ananthasastry, Inspector of weights and measures, Kolar.	32	-do-
25.	K. Muniappa, A.D. Hostel, Kolar.	18	High School, II year
26.	Hanumanthappa, -do-	18	-do- III year
27.	C. Chikkonu -do-	18	S.S.L.C.
28.	Narayana Rao Student, Kolar.	20	VI Form
29.	Mr. A.N.Varadarajan, Bus Inspector, Kolar.	32	L.E.E.
30.	B.C. Ramaiah, Bajjappa's Compound, Goripet, Kolar.	21	S.S.L.C. course
31.	K. Gaffar Khan C/o Shaik Fareed. -do-	26	L.S. failed
32.	Srikantasastry son of S.Naranappa, Stamp Vendor.	18	Studying in S.S.L.C.
33.	M. V. MuniRaju, Student, High School, Kolar.	18	-do-
34.	D. Puttaraj, Clerk, District Officer, Kolar.	22	S.S.L.C.
35.	D. Seetharama Rao, Teacher, M.E. Mission, Kolar.	24	S.S.L.C.
36.	B.N. Narahari Rao, Literary Union. Kolar.	-	L.S. Course
37.	B.V. Hanumantha Tao, District Weaving Demonstrator, Kolar.	24	Intermediate course.

Group Commanders:- (1) Mr. Visweswariah (2) Mr. K. Thimmaraj (3) Mr. M. Ananthasastry. (4) Mr. A.N.Varadarajan.

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For Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.